



THE WEATHER
Occasional snow and colder to-day, snow flurries and colder to-night and Tuesday. Warren temp.: High 44, low 31. Sunrise 7:34. Sunset 4:42.

WARREN TIMES-MIRROR

GOOD EVENING
Start the New Year right by writing it "1-9-46" tomorrow!

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LETTERS SHOW STARK URGED U. S. ENTRY INTO WAR WHEN GERMANY ATTACKED RUSSIA

With Admiral In Witness Chair Investigators Receive Voluminous File of Communications Written to Kimmel in 1941

MEMORANDUM FOR KNOX IS ALSO INCLUDED

Washington, Dec. 31—(P)—Pearl Harbor investigators learned today that Adm. Harold R. Stark urged American entry into the war when Germany attacked Russia, yet expressed hope that Russia and Germany "may break upon each other."

With Stark in the witness chair, the senate-house committee received a voluminous file of letters the 1941 chief of naval operations wrote to Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Pacific fleet commander, and others.

Many were personal, intimate, chatty—some so much so that Stark suggested the recipients burn them.

The letter concerning Russia was dated July 31, 1941, and was addressed to "Dear Savvy," the

BULLETINS

Palermo, Sicily, Dec. 31—(P)—Bandits using hand grenades, dynamite, rifles and machine guns attacked a police outpost today at Monreale, overpowered and bound three guards after a gun battle and looted the place of arms.

Beyrouth, Syria, Dec. 31—(P)—Syrian railroad and harbor workers started a general strike today to force demands for a 40 per cent wage increase and an eight hour day.

Moscow, Dec. 31—(P)—Two German generals and a non-commissioned officer were hanged in the public square in Bryansk four hours after a military tribunal found them guilty of the mass torture and murder of Russian civilians and Red Army prisoners.

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Month Task Ahead At Camp Reynolds

Greenville, Dec. 31—(P)—Sufficient repair work is in sight to provide another month's work for the 250 civilian employees at Camp Reynolds, the army said today.

Army equipment is repaired here and shipped to various depots. Also stationed at the camp are 200 soldiers and 496 prisoners of war, the latter being engaged in repairing jungle boots and coats.

Col. M. Crawford, commanding officer, said detailed instructions have been received regarding the scheduled closing of the camp Jan. 10. The colonel expected that after that date, a skeleton force of about 10 officers and 35 to 40 enlisted men would maintain the camp site until the Veterans Administration takes it over in March preparatory to erection of a veterans' hospital.

Earlier, the army expected to close the camp Jan. 3.

New Zealanders Are First To Welcome '46

Wellington, (Tuesday) Jan. 1, 1946—(7 a. m., Dec. 31, E. S. T.)—It's 1946 in New Zealand, and already the people of this predominantly Scottish dominated island are starting New Year's Day rounds among their friends.

Because of its proximity to the international dateline this is the first nation to usher in the New Year. The summer day dawned with folks preparing to go "first footing," first calling to the homes of friends to drink toasts.

New Postwar Tax Levies Will Become Effective Tomorrow

Washington, Dec. 31—(P)—The government tomorrow hands the country a \$6,000,000,000 incentive to expand business activity.

The 1946 tax law, providing the first general cut in taxes since 1929, was written deliberately to encourage spending for reconversion and high peacetime production.

Federal officials expressed confidence today that it would have that effect.

They forecast too that it would bring a modest but noticeable upturn in the flow of civilian goods into the stores, because after mid-night the producers will keep more of their profit from sales, pay less of it to Uncle Sam. This results from repeal of heavy excess profits tax.

One Killed As Airliner Over-Sweeps Field

New York, Dec. 31—(P)—A woman passenger was killed and 10 other passengers and three crew members escaped serious injury last night when a Miami-to-New York plane of Eastern Air Lines overshot the runway at La Guardia Field and plunged into Flushing Bay.

The passenger killed was Mrs. J. M. Scully, 49, of New York City. Her husband said she was known in business circles as Grace Teichholz and was returning from a holiday visit with her brother, Robert Willison, at Richmond, Va.

The plane, attempting to land during a rainstorm, plunged into the water at about the point where a B-29 bomber went down last spring, killing three persons, including Major Billy Southworth, Jr., son of the manager of the Boston Braves.

All survivors except Cecelia Durham, daughter of Rep. Carl T. Durham (D-NC), were treated for submersion. She was treated for bruises of the right foot and shock. Miss Durham was returning to work here after a visit to her home. Eastern Air Lines first reported Rep. Durham was a passenger but later corrected it to say it was his daughter.

An air line spokesman said none of the survivors was in serious condition. All were removed to shore in police and coast guard launches.

Occasional Snow To Usher In New Year

Pittsburgh, Dec. 31—(P)—New Year will be ushered in to western Pennsylvania by occasional snow and some what colder temperatures.

Light snow, moving in from Ohio and Michigan, was forecast through New Year's Day. Officials asked New Year's Eve celebrators not to use their automobile on the slippery highways, but to resort to trolley and bus lines operating through the night.

Kai-Shek Bids For a Plan To Unify China

BULLETIN

Chungking, Dec. 31—(P)—The Chinese central government countered a Communist plan for a truce today by proposing that Gen. George C. Marshall act as arbiter and that a military inspection mission, possibly composed of Americans, serve as impartial observers to see that any armistice was obeyed. The immediate reaction in foreign quarters here was that there was nothing in the government offer to which the Communists would validly object and that Gen. Marshall's approval must have been obtained before the suggestion was made for ending the civil conflict.

By SPENCER MOOSA

Chungking, Dec. 31—(P)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek made an outright bid to rival Chinese Communist forces today to join a government that would unify China.

In a New Year's message to the Chinese people, he announced that the government was ready to invite leaders of other political parties "to take part in the government, either in the policy-making councils or the executive branches."

They would be welcomed into the government, he said, before the national assembly meets next.

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Consider Sealing Off Kentucky Mine

BULLETIN

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 31—(P)—Twenty of the miners entombed last Wednesday by an underground explosion in a coal mine near here today were given up for dead as Harry Thomas, chief engineer of the Kentucky state department of mines and minerals, ordered the main entrance to the pit sealed.

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 31—(P)—A conference of federal, state and private mine officials early today proposed sealing off the mine near here in which 20 coal miners have been entombed since Wednesday. Sealing off the mine would halt rescue operations. Veteran miners said hope had been abandoned for the survival of any of the trapped men.

This action would leave only seven survivors out of 31 miners trapped by an underground explosion of unexplained origin in the Kentucky Straight Creek Coal Company's No. 1 mine. The conference also considered two other possibilities: Drilling a 1,000-foot shaft to the location of the men, and renewing recovery efforts through the mouth of the mine.

Ex-Governor Earle Mount Over On Honeymoon

Istanbul, Dec. 30—(P)—George W. Earle, former governor of Pennsylvania and a retired naval commander, was honeymooning today with his second wife—23-year-old Jacqueline E. Marthe-Jermine Sacre, a tall Belgian beauty.

The former governor—he served from 1935 to 1939 as first Democratic chief executive in Pennsylvania for 44 years—was married Saturday in a ceremony witnessed by Turkish dignitaries and members of the U. S. diplomatic corps.

Earle was made minister to Austria in 1932. Following his term as Pennsylvania's governor he became minister to Bulgaria.

It was while he held that post, he said, that he met Miss Sacre. Earle was divorced by his first wife, who recently remarried. He has four children by that marriage.

Earle said he would bring his bride to America as soon as he obtained a visa for her.

The couple was first married in a civil ceremony, then religious rites were read by Dr. Ezra Young, Congregationalist pastor from Pittsburgh, Pa.

Hitler's Last Will Creates Great Furore Among 20 Arch Criminals at Nuernburg

BYRNES PLANS FOURTH TRIP IN SIX MONTHS

Secretary of State Tells Americans Why His Third Journey Contributed to Lasting Peace

U. S. IN TOP ROLE

BULLETIN

Washington, Dec. 31—(P)—Secretary of State Byrnes called a news conference for 2:30 p. m. today as a follow-up to his radio report last night on the Moscow conference. William Benton, secretary of state for public affairs, announced the conference to newsmen and said the secretary would discuss primarily the Moscow decisions on the control machinery for Japan as it affects Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Washington, Dec. 31—(P)—Secretary of State Byrnes prepared today for his fourth trip abroad in six months after telling Americans why he believes his third contributed to lasting peace.

In his radio report last night on the Moscow conference of foreign ministers, Byrnes assured the nation that new international machinery set up for control of Japan will not obstruct "the outstanding and efficient administration" of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. It will, he insisted, leave the United States in a top policy-making role.

The cabinet officer ignored a partly-worded statement MacArthur issued in Tokyo earlier in the day in which the supreme commander said he had not been consulted during the Moscow talks and declared: "I have no iota of responsibility for the decisions which were made there."

Speaking from the conference room of the state department, Byrnes described how this country, Russia and Britain agreed on issues involving Japan, atomic energy, peace treaties, China, Korea, Romania and Bulgaria.

He said too he and Foreign Ministers Bevin of Britain and Molotov of Russia almost agreed on a three-power commission to study problems of troubled Iran. He added he was "not discouraged" by the near-miss.

He might have said they will have another opportunity to agree on an Iranian policy in London at the first meeting of the United Nations assembly next month. That will be conference No. 4 for Byrnes in the half-year he has held the top cabinet position.

Of Japan, he said this country from the very beginning had planned to make control of that defeated nation an Allied responsibility. He supported his contentions that the 11-nation policy commission and the four-power control council would neither minimize the U. S. role nor hamstring MacArthur by asserting that.

Because of the big four veto (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Violent Deaths Mount Over The Holidays

By the Associated Press

Victims of accidents over the New Year's weekend totaled at least 209 today, with traffic mishaps accounting for 109 of the deaths.

The traffic toll, however, was below the estimate of the National Safety Council for the period starting at 6 p. m. Friday. The council estimated that between 375 and 400 persons would be killed in traffic accidents during the four day holiday, with the heaviest toll expected last Saturday and tomorrow.

Violent deaths of miscellaneous causes totaled 100 and included shootings, fires, explosions, airplane accidents, drownings and falls.

New York State and Pennsylvania led the states in violent deaths, each reporting 20 over the weekend. The New York toll included eight traffic, one in a plane crash and 11 from miscellaneous causes. Pennsylvania's total included 14 traffic fatalities. Illinois followed with 17 violent deaths; Michigan with 16 and California with 15. Twelve states reported no violent deaths over the weekend.

Big Three Ministers in Climactical Meeting



Last meeting of Big Three foreign ministers conference in Spiridonovka Palace at Moscow shows, around the table, left to right, British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin; Sir Alexander Cadogan, permanent undersecretary of foreign office; Sir Ronald Campbell, British assistant secretary of state; H. Freeman Matthews, U. S. state department director of European affairs; Gen. Cohen, U. S. state department adviser, and Secretary of State James F. Byrnes. In center foreground with back to camera are Russian Foreign Commissar Molotov and Vice Commissar Vyshinski.

Closing of War Camps Creates Lobby Problem

Harrisburg, Dec. 31—(P)—Removal of approximately 1,000 prisoners of war from woods work in Pennsylvania will intensify the man-power problem in the lumbering industry, Floran J. Boland, state director of the U. S. Employment Service, said today.

Boland said that five resister of war camps will be closed by February 18 and the removal of the prisoners confront Pennsylvania woods operations with a critical replacement problem.

While experienced woods workers are most urgently needed, Boland said, "there are also jobs available for inexperienced men who are in good health and interested in vigorous outdoor work."

Textbooks In Jap Schools Suspended

By RUSSELL BRINES

Tokyo, Dec. 31—(P)—General MacArthur today ordered the suspension of three Japanese school courses until more effectively for spreading militaristic ultra-nationalism and the confiscation of all textbooks and teachers manuals used for them.

The order, which affects all schools in Japan, implemented recent abolition of state Shinto. It specified that Japanese history, geography and morals—roughly equivalent to American classes in ethics—will be suspended until headmasters approve their resumption.

Brig. Gen. Ken R. Dyke, head of MacArthur's information and education (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Delegates to UNO Sail on Queen Mary

New York, Dec. 31—(P)—The British liner Queen Elizabeth sailed for England early today with 1,128 passengers, including four members of the American delegation to the general assembly of the United Nations.

The four were Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, former Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., Senator Tom Connally (D-Tex.), chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, and Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich.). Stettinius is a permanent member of the security council with the rank of ambassador.

Alternate delegates among the passengers were Rep. Sol Bloom (D-NY), chairman of the house foreign relations committee; former Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, John Foster Dulles of New York, and former Senator John G. Townsend, of Delaware.

Resumption of Bus Service To Alleviate the Travel Problem

By the Associated Press

Resumption of bus service by two Greyhound lines serving communities in 18 eastern and midwestern states, alleviating the crowded transportation system, was near today as 4,000 employees voted to end their two months old strike.

The strikers, who left their jobs on November 1 in a dispute over wages with the Greyhound Companies, were to begin returning to work on Thursday, said Howard T. Colvin, assistant director of the U. S. Conciliation Service.

He announced the end of the walkout after a two-day conference with company officials and representatives of the AFL-Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric, Railway and Motor Truck Employees of America.

Local operations are scheduled to be resumed within 48 hours after drivers and maintenance men go back to their jobs and longer distance runs are scheduled to be started within 72 hours after their return.

The back-to-work vote by the strikers, however, carried a stipulation, said a union spokesman. He said another strike would be called if the union did not approve a report to be submitted by a fact-finding committee, as proposed by Secretary of Labor Schwelmbach.

Wages were the principal issues under study by the board. States affected by the stoppage were Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Missouri, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Kentucky, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia.

A delay or cancellation of a scheduled strike Thursday of 50,000 Western Union employees appeared a possibility today as the War Labor Board prepared a recommendation for a 12-cent average hourly wage boost for the workers.

While continuing labor disputes (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Noise, Song and Prayers To Herald Arrival of New Year

By the Associated Press

Noise, song and prayers of thanksgiving will herald the arrival of 1946 tomorrow—the first peaceful New Year's Day for Pennsylvanians since father Time rolled in Baby '41 at the stroke of midnight five years ago.

Toasts in water and toasts in wine—and the shouting and singing of "Auld Lang Syne" will be evident more than ever. For most, the merrymaking will be loud and happy. But in thousands of homes throughout the state a Gold Star hangs in the window. Here, too, there will be rejoicing but it will be somber and majestic—a sense of thankfulness that no more men like theirs will die in foxholes or in sinking ships or in falling planes.

The thousands of churches in the state will hold special services—watch night and communion—and the bells will ring in the new, the peaceful year.

The passing of 1945 will go down as probably one of the most memorable in all history. It witnessed the harnessing of the mighty atom and the defeat of totalitarian and barbaric Germany and Japan—two nations who sought to snatch the world and make it grovel at their feet.

In most of the state's big cities—crowded with returning servicemen and rural folk anxious to celebrate—a hotel room will be a priceless possession. Rooms are expected to remain a premium until later in the week.

In Philadelphia, 5,000 numbers will be drawn in a three-and-a-half hour review of silks and spangles. They will dance to the famed "Oh, Dem Golden Slippers" as 21 string bands, and fancy floats, clowns and impersonators vie for \$15,000 in prize-money.

DENUNCIATION NO SURPRISE TO GOERING

Ousted Reichmarshal Had Not Suspected Full Extent To Which Himmler Had Slipped In Favor

RIBBENTROP IGNORED

By DANIEL DE LUCE

Nuernberg, Dec. 31—(P)—Adolf Hitler's last will, calling Hermann Goering and Heinrich Himmler traitors, created furore today among the 20 arch Nazis awaiting in the Nuernberg jail for their trials as war criminals to resume on Wednesday.

The sensational charges, written by the trapped fuhrer in the Berlin chancellory bunker on the eve of his suicide with his mistress bride, Eva Braun, were learned by the prisoners during a busy morning filled with conferences with their lawyers.

To Goering, Hitler's condemnation came as no surprise for the SS and SA had arrested him in Berchtesgaden on April 23 while he was expecting to become the new German fuhrer. The ousted Reichmarshal had not suspected, however, the full extent to which Himmler, suicide head of the Gestapo, also had slipped from Hitler's favor.

Virtually all the other prisoners were reported surprised at the language used in the will in actions against the two Nazis, who next to Hitler had wielded the most power.

NO DOUBT

Herford, Germany, Dec. 31—(P)—The full story of the escape of three messengers from Adolf Hitler's Berlin chancellory with his last testament was told today by a British intelligence officer who said there now was no possible doubt but that the Nazi fuhrer died in his battered bunker.

Exclusive questioning of all persons known to have witnessed Hitler's last hours who are now in British hands disclosed the full sequence of events which British intelligence now accepts as the true version of Hitler's death, the officer said.

"Altogether from their disloyalty to me, Goering and Himmler have brought irreparable shame on the country and the whole nation by secreting negotiating the enemy without my knowledge and against my will and also by illegally attempting to seize control of the state."

Arthur Seyss-Inquart, named in the will as Joachim von Ribbentrop's successor as foreign minister, was understood not to have known before of such an appointment. He was reported to have received the tardy word of this dubious honor today with his usual phlegmatic calm.

Ribbentrop was said to have had whatever disappointment he may have felt at learning the bill ignored him completely. He has described himself as "the last foreign minister of defeated Germany."

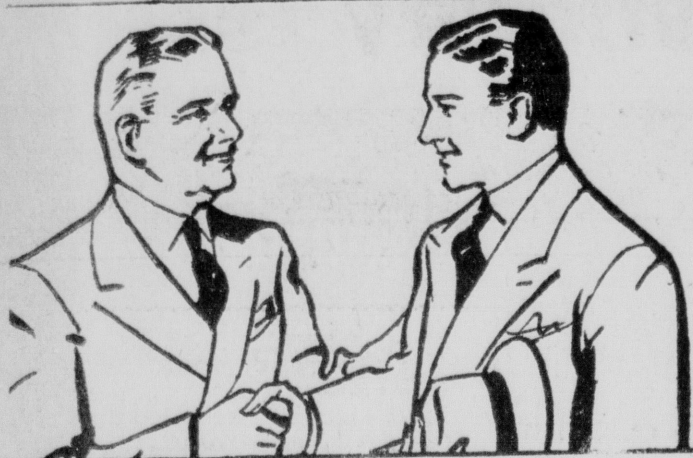
Ernst Kaltenbrunner and Grand Adm. Erich Raeder still were unaware of the will. Kaltenbrunner is under treatment at the U. S. army hospital for cranial hemorrhage which may require another month of convalescence. Raeder, (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Talon Walkout Is Believed Near End

Meadville, Dec. 31—(P)—Only the formal signing of an agreement, set for Wednesday, remained today to bring an end to a walkout that kept 3,500 workers idle more than two months at plants of Talon, Inc.

Striking AFL-Tool and Die Makers voted approval of a new contract with the company yesterday, union officials announced. The dispute over wage demands started in Meadville, October 24 and later spread to the zipper plant in Erie.

A union statement said the agreement would be formally signed Wednesday, but neither the union nor the company would disclose the terms of the contract. However, it was believed to include an eight-cents-an-hour increase. The workers had originally sought a 10-cent-an-hour raise.



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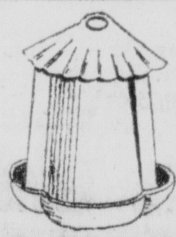


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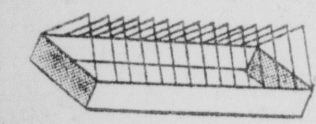
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NEW YEAR'S PARTY Tonight

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First Babe of 1946 Is To Receive Some Rich Rewards

Of course as yet you don't know who will get all the fine things that the Warren merchants are planning to give the first baby born in 1946 but then you can wait, can't you?

As usual a group of Warren merchants are giving some fine gifts to the very first babe that arrives in Warren after the stroke of midnight next Monday. It has been a custom for years for the merchants to remember the tiny mite of humanity and this year some extra fine gifts are being given. But it's all up to the stork to select the winner.

The following gifts have been offered by the following merchants:

Stokes Studio—Six 4 x 6 inch photographs in folders.
Darling Jewelry—Choice of a gold chain and locket or a gold chain and cross.
Blomquist Furniture Store—Bathmatte.
Mullen Drug Store—\$2 worth of merchandise.

Berts Childrens Shop—Pink or blue "Baby Bunting".
Browns Boot Shop—Pair of Classmate fine shoes.
Metzger-Wright Co.—Baby bath jar set.

Kresges—Reversible pink and blue rayon bed comforter.
Warren County Dairy Association—\$3 worth of milk tickets.

Pennys—36 x 50 inch satin bound baby blanket.

New Year Welcome Will Be Very Lusty One In Warren

Tonight is the night when a scanty clad young cuss will arrive to give the Old Heave Ho to 1945 and chase the old day out of the picture. Old Father Time will assist with a lusty swing of his aged scythe and then the clock lets go for the hours of midnight the fresh Kid 1946 will take over.

Warren will miss the screaming of the air raid sirens in the cacophony of sound that will welcome the New Year. Bells and whistles can let go with impunity this year and will make more noise than has been made since Mars unleashed his forces on the world.

Not only the bells and whistles will let go with some jolly old noise for Old Joe Warren and his tribe will unleash some pent up enthusiasm at many and sundry places around the town. During the past few days the parade to the State Store has been under way and judging from the packages, boxes and cases taken away under arms, in bags and boxes the call for cracked ice, aspirin and cold tomato juice tomorrow morning will be long and loud. Not too loud as throbbing brows are allergic to noise. From all indications it's gonna be a whole of a party.

Every club in the area is planning for a Hi Old Time and there will be dances, floor shows, noisemakers, funny hats, etc. and the dark brown taste will grow all around.

However there will still be tried and true burghers who will not indulge in opodeldock and ollegogle but will spend the evening quietly at home with a few friends while in a number of the churches about town watch meetings will be held. Special programs of music and sermons will be held and these promise to be well attended.

Police and State Police are uniting in an appeal to motorists to drive with care so that accidents may be held to a minimum. Roads are not any too safe for speedy driving and they still place telephone poles just beyond the berm so one and all are appealed to for care when traveling the highways tonight.

For the boys who grow tired and seen to rest along curbs and

steps the city police will have their taxi service in operation and will have special steel spring mattresses on which the celebrators may rest until the fog has lifted.

Hair Stylist Is Welcomed By Local Store

During the past two weeks, the clientele of the Metzger-Wright's Charn Shop has had the pleasure of greeting Alan Agquist, hair stylist and manager of the Charn Shop who has spent the past few months in Los Angeles, California. While there Mr. Agquist did extensive studying in California and Hollywood hair styling and has brought back many new ideas as to the "California Way" which has become so important to the women of the entire country.

Within the last few weeks the personnel of the Charn Shop has been enlarged to include two new beauticians, Miss Helen Thompson and Miss Margaret Crocker. Miss Thompson has just recently been graduated from a School for Beauticians, and passed her Pennsylvania State Board examination with high honors. Miss Crocker comes to the Charn Shop after several years of experience in the Reed Beauty Studio in Warren and the French Beauty Shoppe in Greenville, Pennsylvania. Noted for her Permanent Waving in all the newest methods, and was personally selected from many applicants for the position with the Charn Shop.

These, with Miss Mary Critelli and Mrs. Helen Saunter who have been with the Charn Shop for some time will make the Metzger-Wright Charn Shop the most efficient and up to the minute Beauty Shop in Warren. The enlargement of the personnel at this time is in line with the enlargement plans, W. H. Wright, president of the Metzger-Wright Company has for the Charn Shop.

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Times Topics

GAMES AT EAGLES

All are invited to the series of games to be played at the Eagles at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY

The Eagles' Club is holding a New Year's Eve party tonight for members and their ladies only.

LIBRARY HOURS

The Warren Public Library will close at five o'clock Monday evening and remain closed until Wednesday morning.

HOLIDAY CLOSING

The local postoffice will be closed all day tomorrow, New Year's Day, with no deliveries by either city or rural carriers. Special mail, however, will be delivered as usual.

BOOSTERS CANCEL

Because of many conflicting activities of the holiday season the January meeting of the Warren School Boosters Club, scheduled for tomorrow evening, has been cancelled and the next meeting will be the first Tuesday in February.

TRAIN HELD UP

The west bound train on the Pennsylvania railroad was late in reaching this city Saturday evening having been held up by a small wreck near Kane. One truck of a car was off the rails. Train 580 eastbound was detained via Olean.

SOCIAL SCIENCE

"The Future of an Aging Population" is the subject chosen by Nelson A. Johnson, of Warren, State Hospital staff, for his address before the January meeting of Social Science Section, Warren Academy of Sciences, at 8 p. m. Saturday, January 5, at the Woman's Club. Hosts for this first meeting of the new year will be J. E. Springer, John H. Stewart, Judge Allison D. Wade, Ralph Wagner, Flue Wendelboe and LeRoy C. Eddy.

CHRISTMAS CHEER

Girl Scout Troop 41-B of First Presbyterian church found a way to add to the Christmas cheer of people who were unfortunate enough to have to spend Christmas away from their own firesides. The girls in the troop decorated Christmas trees at Warren General Hospital and followed through by removing the decorations and packing them on Friday. Seven trees were made bright and gay, including two in the dining room, one in each of the four wards and one in the waiting room. Mrs. Don Taft is leader of Troop 41-B with Mrs. H. K. Ansell and Mrs. Kenneth Middaugh as assistants.

FIESTA ROOM OPENS

Announcement was made this morning that all tables had been reserved at the Marconi Outing Club for the annual New Year's party. Under plans made known in advance no person without a table reservation will be admitted so the club management decided to open the Fiesta Room in the downtown club this evening. There will be no special attractions in the Fiesta room but any who care to meet and dance will be welcome. It is also interesting to note that the floor show to be given this evening at the Outing Club is one of the finest that has been booked into the club this season.

MEXICANS VISIT PLANT

Messrs. Lopez and Andrade of Mexico City concluded an inspection of the modern plastic production facilities of the Warren Plastics Corporation last Thursday. They plan to return to Mexico and conclude negotiations that are being carried on with Cropp Engineering Corporation of this city for an exclusive license under the patents of the local company, and their program includes the high speed production of phenol formaldehyde and urea formaldehyde molder plastic items.

SERIES of GAMES

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DANCING TONIGHT FROM 9 TO 2

Father-Son Partnership Is Formed

Announcement was made today that Warren will have a new business firm tomorrow as E. L. Stein and his son, Raymond Stein, have formed a partnership to carry on the business of "Stein's" for years one of the section's leading women's wear stores. The firm name will continue to be Steins.

E. L. Stein is one of the older merchants of the city, having come to Warren in 1907, opening a store on Liberty street. At the time it was one of the most attractive stores to be found in Warren and later when Mr. Stein purchased and remodeled the site now occupied by the store he continued his policy of having a fine home for his business. He has also been one of the leaders in Warren at all times given all possible aid to any movement that would tend to make Warren a better place in which to live.

His son, Raymond Stein, was born in Warren and attended the Warren schools, graduating from the high school here, after which he attended State College where he studied business administration. He has but recently returned to Warren after serving in the U. S. armed forces for 32 months, seeing overseas duty in Africa, Italy and France.

Plans are being made for the enlarging and modernizing of the Stein store as soon as materials are available so that the work planned can be carried out.

The Times-Mirror joins with Warren's residents in wishing success and prosperity to the new firm.

Personal Paragraphs

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers will be sorry to learn that their small son, Stevie, is very ill of flu.

Capt. and Mrs. Byron McKenzie left today for Greensboro, N. C., where the former will receive his next assignment.

Joseph Sitarik, of Irvine, was admitted to Warren General Hospital Friday for surgery after he had injured his nose in a coasting accident. He was discharged on Sunday.

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Miss Leah Rowland of Buffalo spent a couple of days this week with her parents Mr. and M.



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MORE PLATITUDES THAN PREDICTIONS

Tradition insists that newspapers print year-end reviews and editorials, and time was when the preparing of such pieces was an enjoyable duty. The year's best stories were assembled, weighed and weeded out. Then the writer made his selection with comment which, he hoped, lent some significance to the happenings in one arbitrary division of time.

But it was no use. It was clear that everyone realized we had just passed through one of the most eventful years in history. Everybody could name the historic landmarks. Everybody could and, if not beaten to it, did say that "the dawn of 1946 finds the world standing on the threshold of the atomic age."

So it seemed there was nothing new to say about 1945. What about the New Year, then? We might have sought to join the intrepid little band of journalists and deep thinkers who annually go out on a limb with predictions of what the next 12 months will bring. But we kept thinking how unimpressive their batting averages always look at the end of the season.

Perhaps, then, it would be safer to let the curbstone chroniclers of current history make their own guesses on what the future holds in store. Why not seek out that Man in the Street who is always being interviewed anyway, and put him to work once more?

A random sampling of opinion confirmed the suspicion that the peace of 1945 had left the Man in the Street with a pessimistic hangover. We were assured that government control is ruining business, that big business is leading on down the road to another depression, that labor is driving us toward inflation and, unless quickly curbed, will take over everything and socialize (or communize) the country.

The only encouraging aspect of all this was that the nearer one gets to the head of government, the less pessimism one finds. President Truman and Secretary Byrnes (whom we didn't interview) seem a lot less less dispirited than the Man in the Street. Maybe they're kidding themselves, or us, but at least they do seem a trifle cheerful.

Since our most fateful decisions will be made by Mr. Truman and Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Attlee and Mr. Bevin, Mr. Stalin and Mr. Molotov, plus a handful of others anyway, however much we talk about democracy, there may be some hope to be gained from their cheerfulness. There may even be some cheer to be gained from this gloomy but realistic attitude of the Man in the Street.

That attitude seems to say, "We don't think you've performed any miracles, gentlemen, in bringing order out of postwar chaos. We don't expect many miracles from you in 1946. We can fight and win wars for you, but we're excluded from your secret diplomacy. If you do a good job expect more silent surprise than wild applause. All the same, gentlemen, we know you have a hard job. Try, and try hard, to do it well. We'll do all we can to help, and we'll pray for you—and for ourselves."

NOT ROUTINE—YET

Bill Brown, let us say, has borrowed some money from Joe Smith and has agreed, in the course of time, to repay the principal plus a modest interest charge. And Joe Smith has hopes, at least, according to neighbor hood gossip, that he will take in more money than he spends next year.

These are everyday occurrences which, quite naturally, never find their way into the papers. But change Bill Brown to Great Britain and Joe Smith to the United States of America and you've got top news stories.

Right now those stories make pretty interesting reading. But we cherish a hope that the day may come when such news stories become routine it seems to be buried decently in the financial pages, and when the govern of, by, and for the people can be run in a manner consistent with the people's everyday understanding.

Dr. M. Hindhede, Copenhagen, Denmark, says: "The potato is not only an excellent food, but it is a remedy. It dissolves uric acid as well as chalk, and is therefore, able to cure different forms of gout and rheumatism." Dr. Kellogg also says: "The potato is an immense food remedy in the treatment of a large number of diseases. Among which are biliousness, constipation, rheumatism and gout."

Tire rationing is off, but many Warrenites are learning that the line that forms at the right will be left.

Take it easy tonight and you'll have a better time tomorrow!

Happy New Year! See you Wednesday!

"Sorry I Couldn't Clean Everything Up, Bub"



YEARS AGO IN WARREN

Interesting Items Taken From The Warren Evening Times

1925
Work has been completed by H. Rosen, local electrical contractor, of installing the wiring and fixtures of the new greenhouse at Youngville owned by H. Schilmer.

Twenty anti-snow shovellers were arrested and ordered to report to the justice of the peace for failing to keep their sidewalks clean. The accused will be fined \$3.50 apiece.

Through the agency of the Waid, Rogers and Company, the claim made by the Metzger-Wright Company for its burglary loss has been settled by the Travelers' Insurance Company.

Warren Kiwanians met at the Coneywango Club to install its new officers. Byron Knapp led the new group of officers, being the newly-elected head.

1935
Due to the low number of cases being handled by the local relief board, the staff here has been reduced from 15 to 4 workers, which includes three investigators and one clerk.

Tom Meneo, A. Guiffre, Ross Bevevino, Frank Williams, and Frank Bonavita were re-elected as the board of directors for the Marconi Club for the coming year.

"Riding Into The Moon," an orchestration by Sheridan Baker, local orchestra leader, is being prepared by "Stub" Gordon, and it will be played by Gordon's orchestra over WTAM, Cleveland.

Bill Williams, six foot, six inch center of Sharon, has been signed by Manager Gerry Archibald on the HyVis Oils team. Archibald also stated that "X" Maury would return to the local unit.

It is estimated that there are 752,000 school teachers in the United States.

A meat professor in Virginia has a 35-year-old cured ham, which he values at \$5000.

RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31

Eastern Standard Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hours for MST. Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

5:45—Front Page Serial—nbc
Sparrow and Hawk Serial—nbc
Tennessee and Drama Serial—abc
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other abc
Tom Mix, a Serial Series—mbs-bas
6:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Quincy Howe and News Period—nbc
Walter Kierman and News—abc-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc-west
Howe's Answers, Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—Melody Sketches & Sports—nbc
Jimmy Carroll Songs, Orchestra—nbc
Repeat From Dick Tracy—abc-west
Serial Supermen Repeat—mbs-west
6:30—Eileen Farrell Song Show—nbc
Repeat of Jack Armstrong—abc-west
Capt. Midnight's Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas & News—nbc
World News and Commentary—nbc
Charlie Chan Adventures—abc-bas
Tennessee Jed, in Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix, Serial Repeat—nbc-west
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-bas
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—nbc
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., & Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Tennessee Jed, Serial—nbc-bas
Leon Henderson and Comment—nbc
Dance Music Orch. (15 Mins.)—mbs
7:30—Songs From Carolyn Gilbert—nbc
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show—nbc-bas
Dancing Music Hour—other abc
Lone Ranger's Drama of West—nbc
Frank Sinatra's News—nbc-bas
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
Inside of Sports, Bill Brandt—mbs
8:00—America Cavalcade Drama—nbc
Vox Pop by Paris and Warren—nbc
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—nbc
Building Drummond at Ventures—mbs
8:15—Hedda Hopper's Hollywood—abc
8:30—Howard Barlow & Concert—nbc
News Commentary & Overseas—nbc
Pacific Serenade With Music—nbc
Sherlock Holmes in Adventures—mbs
8:45—Five Minutes News Show—nbc
9:00—Voiceless Concert & Guest—nbc
Radio Theater From Hollywood—nbc
Rex Maupin and His Orchestra—nbc
9:15—Real Life Stories, Drama—mbs
9:30—Information Please, a Quiz—nbc
Swinging on the Golden Gate—nbc
Spotlight Dances, Guest Orchest.—nbc
9:45—Five Minutes News Show—nbc
10:00—Contested Concert Orchest.—nbc
Screen Guild Players and Guest—nbc
Preview of Sugar Bowl Game—nbc
To Be Announced (30 Mins.)—mbs
10:15—Cliff Leslie's Hot Edwards—nbc
10:30—Doc F. Q. in Quiz Series—nbc
Crime Phug, Dramatic—nbc-bas
Bob Hawk's Quiz Repeat—other abc
Hoosier Hop in a Barn Dance—nbc
Detect a Tune, Vincent Lopez—mbs
11:00—News, New Year's Eve Dance—nbc
all nets.

WARRENITES PICTURED

In the current issue of the Bell Telephone News there appears pictures of two Warren en. In one picture Capt. Phil Campbell, of the Warren Bell plant, appears with a Filipino mess boy. The other Warrenite pictured is Lt. Phillip T. Benner who with two comrades pictured made a trip over occupied Germany in a big fighter plane.

RADIO PROGRAMS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1

Eastern Standard Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hours for MST. Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

1:45—Orange Bowl Football Game—nbc
2:00—Cotton Bowl Football Game—mbs
2:45—Sugar Bowl Football Game—nbc
2:55—Rose Bowl Football Game—nbc
East-West College All-Stars—nbc
5:20—Clintarron Tavern Serial—nbc
The Jack Armstrong Serial—nbc-bas
5:45—Sparrow and Hawk, Serial—nbc
Tennessee Jed, Drama Skit—abc-east
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other abc
6:00—Quincy Howe News Period—nbc
Walter Kierman and News—abc-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc-west
6:15—Pat Clavin & Her Songs—nbc
Repeat From Dick Tracy—abc-west
6:30—Carol Brice's Song Recital—nbc
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—nbc-west
6:45—World News & Commentary—nbc
Charlie Chan Adventures—abc-bas
Tennessee Jed, in Repeat—abc-west
7:00—Fifteen Min. Sponsored Show—nbc
News Commentary & Overseas—nbc
7:15—Dance Music—nbc-bas
Marquis Childs and Comment—nbc
7:30—His Honor, a Barber—nbc-bas
American Melodrama Song Orch.—nbc
Fantasy in Melody by Strings—nbc
Arthur Hale in Comment—mbs-east
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
Inside of Sports, Bill Brandt—nbc
8:00—Cornelia Otis Skinner Show—nbc
8:15—Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—nbc
Leave It to Mike, a Comedy—mbs
8:25—Elmer Davis in Comment—nbc
8:30—A Date With Judy, Drama—nbc
Theater of Romance, Dramatic—nbc
Alan Young's Comedy Program—nbc
Adventures of Falcon, Drama—nbc
8:45—Five Minutes News Period—nbc
9:00—Amos and Andy's Sketch—nbc
Inn Sanctum & Its Mystery—nbc
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—nbc
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Red Life Stories, Drama—nbc
9:30—Pibber McGee-Molly Time—nbc
This Is My Best, Drama Show—nbc
Doctors' Sugar Bowl Trophies—nbc
American Forum, Guest Panel—nbc
9:45—Five Minutes News Show—nbc
10:00—Bob Hope's Comedy Show—nbc
Concert and Song on the Air—nbc
Josef Stoppa Concert Orchestra—nbc
10:15—A Report From Overseas—nbc
10:30—Red Skelton's Screen Book—nbc
Congress Speaks for 15 Minutes—nbc
Half Hour for Dance Orchestra—nbc
10:45—Behind the Scenes at CBS—nbc
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-bas
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—nbc & abc
News, Dance Band Shows: 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety and News to 1 a.m.—nbc

GIRL SCOUTS TOUR OFFICE

The Times-Mirror force enjoyed a visit from a group of members of Girl Scout Troop No. 41-B Friday afternoon. The girls arrived in file to see the forms closed up and paper "put to bed." They were in charge of Mrs. Don Taft and Mrs. H. K. Ansell, and included Norma Jean Ansell, Anne Bannon, Diantha Chestnutt, Elizabeth Eddy, Jane Hill, Nan Hetherington, Sally Irvine, Patty Lias, Meg Lewis, Barbara Lundahl, Dawn Taft and Marjory Wilson.

wrightly or wrongly
A COMMONPLACE BOOK

The season of New Year's celebration being upon us, we must make a confession. We have always maintained that no New Year's party could ever be complete unless it included the reading, with due solemnity and sense of ritual, of Charles Lamb's essay, "New Year's Eve." Some of our convivial friends do not share our conviction, as we discovered by one doleful experiment in—let's see—it must have been 1941. Nevertheless we feel moved to reprint here as much of it as the brief compass of the Commonplace Book will permit. So, even if the result must be a trifle fragmentary, here goes:

"Of all sound of all bells—(bells, the music highest bordering upon heaven)—most solemn and touching is the peal which rings out the Old Year. I never hear it without a gathering-up of my mind to a concentration of all the images that have been diffused over the past twelvemonth; all I have done or suffered, performed or neglected—in that regretted time. It takes a personal color; nor was it a poetical flight in a contemporary, when he exclaimed

I saw the skirts of the departing year.

"I am naturally, beforehand, shy of novelties; new books, new faces, new years,—from some mental twist which makes it difficult in me to face the prospective. I have almost ceased to hope; and am sanguine only in the prospects of other (former) years. I plunge into foregone visions and conclusions. I encounter pell-mell with past disappointments. I am armour-proof against old discouragements. I forgive, or overcome in fancy, old adversaries. I play over again for love, as the gamblers phrase it, games, for which I once paid so dear. In a degree beneath manhood, it is my infirmity to look back upon those early days. Do I advance a paradox, when I say, that, skipping over the intervention of forty years, a man may have leave to love himself, without the imputation of self-love?

"Not childhood alone, but the young man still thirty, never feels practically that he is mortal. He knows it, indeed, and, if need were, he could preach a homily on the fragility of life; but he brings it not home to himself, any more than in a hot June we can appropriate to our imagination the freezing days of December. But now, shall I confess a truth?—I feel these audits but too powerfully. I begin to count the probabilities of my duration, and to grudge at the expenditure of moments, like miser's farthings. In proportion as the years both lessen and shorten, I set more count upon their periods, and must fain lay my ineffectual finger upon the spoke of the great wheel.

"I am not content to pass away 'like a weaver's shuttle.' Those metaphors solace me not, nor sweeten the unpalatable draught of mortality. I care not to be carried with the tide, that smoothly bears human life to eternity; and reluctant at the inevitable course of destiny. I am in love with this green earth; the face of town and country; the unspeakable rural solitudes, and the sweet security of streets. I would set up my tabernacle here. I am content to stand still at the age to which I am invited; I, and my friends; to be no younger, no richer, no handsomer. I do not want to be weaned by age; or drop, like mellow fruit, as they say, into the grave. Any alteration, on this earth of mine, in diet or in lodging, puzzles and discomposes me. My household gods plant a terrible fixed foot, and are not rooted up without blood. They do not willingly seek Lavinian shores. A new state of being staggers me.

"Sun, and sky, and breeze, and solitary walks, and summer holidays, and the greenness of fields, and the delicious juices of meats and fishes, and society, and the cheerful glass, and candle-light, and fireside conversations, and innocent vanities, and jests, and irony itself—do these things go out with life? Can a ghost laugh, or shake his gaunt sides, when you are pleasant with him? And you, my midnight darlings, my Polios! must I part with the intense delight of having you in my embraces? Must knowledge come to me, if at all, by some awkward experiment of intuition, and no longer by the familiar process of reading? Shall I enjoy friendships there, wanting the smiling indications which point me to them here,—the recognisable face, the 'sweet assurance of a look'?

BIRTHDAYS

TOMORROW'S BIRTHDAYS

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Mrs. Grace Bradway
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Leonard K. Mowbray, Jr.
Edward Lauffenberger
Jean Esther Davis
Mrs. Ruth Willey
John E. Gruninger
Margorie Duckett
Margaret Duckett
John Robertson
Mrs. Carl Danielson
Mrs. Louise Crippen
Mrs. Emil Henry
Edna Simpson
Jane Louise Hill
John Henry Timmis
Joseph Roger Nelson
Robert James Bleakley
Joyce Elaine Thurston
Mrs. Lulu Smith
Alvin Burdette Fish
Mrs. Mary Sipple
Ruth Tingwall Beyer
Olga Tingwall Cruik
Harold Leon Caldwell, Jr.
Florence Marks
Garnett Mayola Nuhfer
Ruth Ann Hamilton

WEDNESDAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Archie Anderson
Paul Parks Gary
Carolyn Steinkamp Timmis
Harry Schweitzer
Robert Lesser
Mrs. Elmer Henry
Raymond H. Larsen
Denton Petree
Mrs. Bernice Crippen
Odette Fiero Larson
George M. Cobb
Richard Clare Devereaux

"In winter this intolerable disinclination to dying does more especially haunt and beset me. In a genial August noon, beneath a sweltering sky, death is almost problematic. At those times do such poor snakes as myself enjoy an immortality. Then we expand and burgeon. Then are we as strong again, as valiant again, as wise again, and a great deal taller. The blast that nips and shrinks me, puts me in thoughts of death. 'Whatsoever thwarts, or puts me out of my way, brings death into my mind. All partial evils, like humours, run into that capital plague-sore. I have heard some profess an indifference to life. Such hail the end of their existence as a port of refuge; and speak of the grave as of some soft arms, in which they may slumber as on a pillow. Some have wooed death—but out upon thee, I say, thou foul, ugly phantom! I detest, abhor, execrate, and (with Friar John) give thee to six-score thousand devils, as in no instance to be excused or tolerated, but shunned as a universal viper; to be branded, proscribed, and spoken evil of.

"Those antidotes, prescribed against the fear of thee, are altogether frigid and insulting, like thyself. For what satisfaction hath a man, that he 'shall lie down with kings and emperors in death,' who in his life-time never greatly coveted the society of such bed-fellows? More than all, I conceive disgust at those impertinent and misbecoming familiarities inscribed upon your ordinary tomb-stones. Every dead man must take upon himself to be lecturing me with his odious truisms, that 'such as he now is, I must shortly be.' Not so short, friend, perhaps, as thou imaginest. In the meantime I am alive. I move about. I am worth twenty of thee. Know thy betters! Thy New Year's Days are past. I survive, a jolly candidate for 1821. Another cup of wine—and while that turncoat bell that just now mournfully departed, the obsequies of 1820 departed, with changed notes lustily rings in a successor, let us attune to its peal the song made by cheerful Mr. Cotton. . . . How say you, reader—do not these verses smack of the rough magnanimity of the old English vein? Do they not fortify like a cordial; enlarging the heart, and productive of sweet blood and generous spirits? Where be those pulling fears of death? Another cup of the generous! and a merry New Year, and many of them, to you all, my masters!"

December 31, 1945

William Wright

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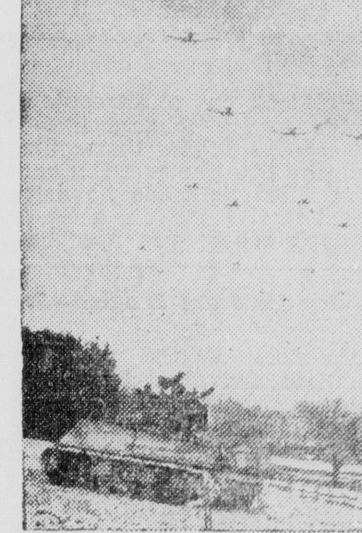
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By NEA Service
THIS was the year in which the Allied forces picked themselves up off the floor and delivered the prize-winning haymaker to the chin of the Axis. These pictures taken only a year ago in a world of blood, death and cold—in the Battle of the Bulge—seem remote to a reconverting world, hell bent on production for peace, worried about atomic energy, housing, inflation, and when it can get a new automobile.



The year began with a booming of Long Toms and howitzers as Lt. Gen. Courtney Hodges hurled his First Army upon the northern flank of Rundstedt's Bulge. From the south, Lt. Gen. George Patton's Third Army battled up through Bastogne, held against overwhelming forces by the aid of air-dropped supplies. Doughfoot munched a treacher-



ous, snow-filled winter wilderness, battling stubborn German defenses, taking severe losses. Winter, as well as Nazi bullets, took its toll. Frostbite and trenchfoot cut down the ranks of fighting Yanks. Like the two GIs above they warmed their numbed hands and feet and inched toward a remote victory. As the advance lapped back over the battlefields of December, grim souvenirs were uncovered in the snow. In one Bel-



gian meadow lay the bodies of more than 100 Americans taken prisoner and slaughtered by the Germans. The GI proved he could take it in that battle. He proved he could take it in the midriff and come back fighting. He never gave the Germans a chance to dig in. He just kept coming on at them until it was over.

Tomorrow: Air Assault on Germany.

1945 Was Packed With News History Can Never Forget

JANUARY

Yanks Cross Their Fingers And Hit Back in the Bulge

AFTER the Nazis attacked in the Battle of the Bulge in December, Americans crossed their fingers and hoped: Well, maybe Hitler will get his this year. But they weren't too sure. Patton drove into the Nazi flank in Belgium, and Claire Boothe Luce got home from Europe at 4 o'clock in the morning. Hitler spoke. Germany won't surrender, he said. Headline: "MEAT SUPPLY GONE WITH THE OLD YEAR." There were 11,900,000 men and women in the U.S. armed forces, France formally joined the United Nations, the Luftwaffe lost 241 planes in one day, and a Japanese balloon fell in Oregon. In New York a plainclothesman bet on a horse, won, but instead of collecting arrested the bookie.

The Army was giving orders, and not by mail, at Montgomery Ward. Paris had no flour, Italy was without blankets. "The Hasty Heart" opened on Broadway. Dogs began following Illinois automobiles; when the cars stopped, the dogs ate the license plates. They were made of soy beans.

Penicillin was administered to a pneumonia-stricken Guernsey bull. In Greece the British and the ELAS signed a truce, in Belgium the Bulge collapsed, and in America President Roosevelt was inaugurated again. He had hardly taken his hand off the Bible before his son Elliott's bull mastiff bumped three service men from an Army plane. The Russians were 73 miles from Berlin.

FEBRUARY

Marines Storm Iwo Jima; At-Homers Prowl for Smokes

EAST of Chicago it was the coldest winter in 25 years. Fala's bride, on their honeymoon, bit him and he was veterinarianized. A few thousand troubled GIs were AWOL in Europe. The dry crusader, "Pussyfoot" Johnson, died. Yanks entered Manila and the joyous Filipinos broke open a brewery for them. Berlin heard guns.

The Big Three met at Yalta. The groundhog came out, but, considering the meat shortage, went back in. The first authorized revision of the Bible went to the publisher; the first German jet fighters attacked U.S. bombers. The Solid Fuels Administration, touched, got five tons of coal through to a New England sculptor; his wax models were about to freeze. Elliott Roosevelt became a Brigadier General. Eight thousand Allied planes hit Germany, twelve hundred from U.S. carriers visited Tokyo. Bataan was recaptured. "I've got more land than will power," said a Florida real estate agent in trading a 50-by-100-foot lot for 15 cartons of cigarettes.

Fighting began on Iwo Jima. Sixty-eight nurses liberated in the Philippines drew an average of \$6,500 back pay; Gloria Vanderbilt, however, came of age and got \$4,500,000. The U.S. slapped a midnight curfew on all amusements places. After five weeks, 14,000 miles, and a conference with Churchill and Stalin, President Roosevelt returned to the White House.

MARCH

Cologne Falls; Detroit Strikes; Frankie Kept 4-F for Draft

A CHILD was born in occupied Germany: Franklin Delano Ludwig. Gunder Haeg arrived in America, at a walk. On behalf of his miners John L. Lewis asked soft coal operators for a royalty of 10 cents a ton. As the 9th Army reached the Rhine, Gen. MacArthur hoisted the American flag on Corregidor and ten Detroit plants were closed by strikes.

Aubrey Williams as head of the REA? No, said a Senate committee. Something new: the Act of Chapultepec. Henry Wallace became Secretary of Commerce; Secretary Perkins' daughter became single in Reno. Ed Flynn was shivering in Russia. The Marines advanced inch by inch on Iwo. Gertrude is a rose is a Stein is a published is a book, "Wars I have Seen." The Ohio was in flood.

Sinatra's draft board held its ground, kept Frank in 4-F. Cologne fell. Sales were brisk in mechanical cigarette rollers. At last cognac and perfume were on the way from France. Fraternization raised its controversial head. Before the Germans could blow it up, the Yanks captured the Rhine's Remagen bridge. Easter clothing ads appeared.

Red Skelton married a former model, but kept his earlier wife as manager. Jelly bombs, made from a new U.S. recipe, were dropped on Tokyo. The end began on Iwo. Crosby and Bergman won Oscars. Commando Kelly was married, the Duke of Windsor quit the Bahamas, and Lloyd George died of the flu. In Chicago a collic going blind got a dachshund for a seeing eye.

Final Marine payment on Iwo: 4,189 dead, 15,308 wounded, 441 missing. The prosecutor found six packs and the defense attorney personally donated cigars when a murder trial jury asked for cigarettes. Headline: "SCHIAPELLI EMPHASIZES COLOR IN FASHIONS." Argentina hem-hawed, then declared war on the Axis.

APRIL

FDR Dies at Warm Springs; Yanks, Reds Meet at the Elbe

SUNDAY was April Fool's Day and landing day on Okinawa. Vince DiMaggio, without moving, went from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia. Book of the Month: the seed catalogue. To the Fashion Group luncheon in Washington, Mrs. Roosevelt wore a five-year-old dress. Russia called it quits with the Japanese. Critics named "The Glass Menagerie" the season's best play. How Yanks captured six German villages: "We just phoned the burgermeister and told him we were coming." The race was on across the Reich.

"I have a terrific headache," said President Roosevelt, 63, and died at Warm Springs, Ga. South of Bologna a U.S. Liberator crew dropped all its bombs and then tossed out a kitchen sink.

The Truman family of Washington, D. C., moved out of their five-room apartment. Redeployment from Europe to the Pacific began. Deems Taylor was married. Major Bowes retired. A Los Angeles jury declared Charlie Chaplin was a father. Ernie Pyle was killed.

Books: "American Guerrilla in the Philippines." Nuernberg fell. Gloria Vanderbilt divorced Pat DiCicco, and married Leopold Stokowski. Forty-six nations met, peacefully, in San Francisco. Petain surrendered for trial.

Goering was kicked out of the Luftwaffe, but that was nothing; Italian partisans hung the dead Mussolini by his heels on a filling station. News: photographs of horribly emaciated prisoners of the Germans. There were toasts as U. S. and Russian armies joined.



MAY

End of Fuehrer and One War; Truman Shifts Cabinet

NEW brands of "cigarettes," inspired by the shortage, were cropping up like the flowers of spring. Hitler was dead—the Nazis said. "I had a good time," said 100-year-old William S. Clark after a four-week tour of New York, solo. Mussolini, the blood scrubbed off his face, was buried in a pauper's grave. The war ended in Europe.

As a Philadelphia woman knelt in church to pray for her son's return from the Pacific he stepped up and touched her shoulder. "Harvey" won the Pulitzer prize. Display lighting came on again, but a quick check showed no Blue Birds over the White Cliffs of Dover. In Omaha, it snowed. All that was in Hitler's safe were 12 copies of "Mein Kampf." Lend lease for Russia was suspended.

The Wac had its third birthday. Sunny headlines: "200,000 NEW AUTOS FOR PASSENGER USE EXPECTED BY JAN. 1. . . CIGARETTE SUPPLY TO INCREASE SOON." Ley and Goering were captured. Seared and crippled, the carrier Franklin sailed 12,000 miles home under her own power, a third of her crew lost or injured. Fritz Kuhn got the gate from the state department. North-south freight rates were readjusted. Lauren Bacall and Humphrey Bogart became he-man and wife. Horse racing resumed. A mother asked a Connecticut ration board for enough points to get her son out of the Army.

A New York Jew captured Julius Streicher. Cabinet footnotes: Out—Biddle, Perkins, Wickard; In—Clark, Schwellenbach, Anderson. Churchill resigned to force a general election, and Heinrich Himmler, a prisoner, killed himself with poison. Harry Hopkins talked an hour and a half with Stalin. Lord Haw Haw was seized in Germany. Truman and Hoover talked about food, but Hoover left the White House before lunch. Violence flared in the Middle East. A balloon bomb killed six inquisitive people in Oregon.

JUNE

Going Gets Grim on Okinawa As Nation Peeks at New Cars

PEACE, the new Ford went on display! Esquire Magazine won back its second-class mailing privileges, Varga girls and all. The four Allies formally took over control of Germany. Hoop Jr. won the Kentucky Derby. When a Negro GI in Australia sent home \$38,000 after a crap game, the U. S. Treasury faded him for \$18,000, and won.

Was Hitler in Spain? Don't be silly, said the Spaniards. Laborite Bevan, in the House of Commons, called Lady Astor an Old Gas Bag; "Oh, dear!" she replied. The OWI got its funds cut two thirds. An Army officer, a Wac and a sergeant survived a plane crash in remotest New Guinea, but couldn't get out. Fred Allen turned up in a movie after four unfiled years. The house passed the anti-poll tax bill.

Three were acquitted and twelve sentenced to prison of 15 Poles accused by Russia of subversive activity behind the lines. Four hundred GIs' Australian wives sailed for their new home from Melbourne; 14,526, the largest single contingent of soldiers home from Europe, docked in New York. Four hundred soldiers drove trucks during a Chicago drivers' strike.

The Big Three planned to meet at Berlin. Ferruccio Parri became premier of Italy, and Lt. Gen. Buckner was killed on Okinawa. A New York bank teller accused of embezzling \$17,375 said he did it to meet his income tax payment. Strikes had doubled since V-E Day, but reduced military needs made the meat situation considerably rosier. President Truman closed the United Nations Conference. Most popular subject for magazine articles: Russia.

The Germans were discovered to have planned a platform 5,100 miles above the earth from which, after 50 or 100 years' work, they could harness the sun to demolish nations. A glider picked up on the fly brought the Wac corporal and two Army airmen out of their six weeks' Shangri-La in New Guinea. Price control was extended another year. A Cleveland blind man was convicted of robbing a deaf man after a deaf-mute testified in writing that he saw him do it.

JULY

Attlee Takes Over in Britain; Shortages Spread to Soap

MAYOR LaGuardia read The Comics over the air—with gestures. Harry Hopkins resigned and Tom Paine's citizenship was restored at New Rochelle, N. Y. The Treasury began investigating Elliott Roosevelt's loans. Barbara Hutton sued Cary Grant for divorce. The FEPC was extended a year, the labor shortage had New York hotel guests making their own beds, and Leopold said he wouldn't return to Belgium. Soap got scarcer and scarcer.

Ovetta Culp Hobby resigned as director of the Wac. How many chicks were hatched the first six months of 1945? 1,272,376,000! The fraternization ban was lifted in Germany. The Big Three conferred at Potsdam. Truman played Beethoven's "Minuet in G" for Stalin and Churchill. In pre-election Britain, the crowd cheered, Churchill saluted, then turned red—the cheers were for Attlee. Marshal Petain went on trial for treason in Paris.

Labor won a landslide victory in England; the cheers were for Attlee. Novelist Charles G. Norris, husband of novelist Kathleen, died. The Senate ratified the United Nations charter, 89 to 2 (both Republicans). The weather in New York was miserably damp and the Communists in America turned Earl Browder out into the cold, capitalistic world.

AUGUST

Enter the Atom, Then Russia: Japan Hops to Peace

A JET plane loafed the 544 miles from Dayton to New York in 62 minutes. Chicago was leading the National League, Detroit the American. Stock in the Bank of England fell off another seven points. The Senate adjourned. Col. James Roosevelt lost his plane seat to a civilian with a higher priority. The atomic age was announced with a bomb dropped on Hiroshima.

Claire Boothe Luce appeared in Shaw's "Candida" in Stamford, Conn., and Russia declared war on Japan. Maj. Richard Bong was killed in a jet plane crash. The flying boat Hawaii Mars sank in Chesapeake Bay. Everybody sat tight, waiting for codes to go from Tokyo to Switzerland to Washington. Then it was announced: Japan would surrender. The Puerto Ricans sent a box of earth for Franklin Roosevelt's grave. Petain was sentenced to die, but that was later commuted to life. "I'm glad Harry decided to end the war," said the President's 93-year-old mother.

Gas rationing ended, demobilization began, and the WPB took a deep breath and cancelled 210 controls. In north China government and communist troops bared their teeth and came to blows. Quisling took the witness stand: "I saved Norway," he said; the objection was sustained. MacArthur set up shop in Yokohama; 24 Nazis were indicted for war crimes. A 12-year-old Newark boy was out playing football when informed his apron had won a contest over the needlework of 250 girls. A Wisconsin farmer claimed he had grown pre-salted celery, and opera star Rise Stevens paid the first \$10,000 annual premium to insure her million-dollar voice.

SEPTEMBER

It's Made Official on the 'Mo'; Pearl Harbor's Ghost Is Back

THE peace that was to be dictated in the White House came to Japan on the battleship Missouri in Tokyo Bay. "Forever Amber" was published in London, where the Evening Standard reviewer said: "I gave up on page 272, by which time Amber had reached her eighth man." The American flag went up on Wake Island; Wainwright took the surrender of Yamashita's remnant army in the Philippines.

The hay fever was terrible. Congress reconvened. The Chiangs

were reunited after 14 months apart. Quisling wept. Harry Hopkins got the DSM. The Russians beat the Americans in a radio chess tournament. The Senate voted for a Pearl Harbor inquiry and President Truman said, in effect, O.K. The word "war" came off U. S. Savings Bonds and cheese rationing ended.

For the first time in six years or more no war communique was issued anywhere in the world. Berlin's remaining 400 Jews celebrated Rosh Hashanah. The U. S. gave Fritz Kuhn a ticket back to Germany, although he had not asked for one. The Army cancelled its cigarette orders. Quisling received the death sentence. A "plaster" Madonna and Child at Vassar turned out to be a valuable French original 500 years old. Tojo tried suicide. General Pershing turned 86. It was not Hirohito's white one, but Admiral Halsey rode a horse in Tokyo. Third-quarter income tax payments came due.

The government allowed John Hartford an income tax deduction of \$196,000 lost in a \$200,000 loan to Elliott Roosevelt. Shirley Temple was on her honeymoon about the time it became World War II, officially, by presidential approval. The London session of the Council of Foreign Ministers drew morosely to a close. A major in the U. S. Army changed his name to Harrison; it had been Adolf Hitler. Henry Ford II, 28, became president of the company. Hirohito called on MacArthur and found him in. Clocks were turned back an hour. In the United States there were 1,800,000 idle in labor disputes.

OCTOBER

Detroit Tigers Win Series; Russia Signs the UNO Charter

A HIS own treason trial Pierre Laval was ordered from court. Eleven thousand one hundred and forty-five Canadians were AWOL. As the Globester flew around the world in 150 hours Indonesian Nationals were taking over a few cities. Airplanes went on sale in New York department stores. General Patton became head of the 15th Army, which has no tanks. Color pictures were televised successfully. A Jersey City draft board accepted six veterans' invitation to dinner; the draft men had C and K rations, the ex-GIs had spaghetti and steaks.

The D.A.R. refused to let Hazel Scott play the piano in Constitution Hall. The Detroit Tigers won the World Series; Notre Dame used 50 men in beating Dartmouth 34 to 0. Laval was shot. Admiral Halsey's team, which also won a world series, came home. In the Pacific men with few points were replacing women with many. Stettinius, ill with gallstone trouble, flew home from London, and there was a hunger march in Tokyo. Control of Montgomery Ward passed from the Army back to the company.

A wife beater in Maryland and a housebreaker in Colorado were lashed for punishment. The Georgia Ku Klux Klan, "fighting communism," burned a cross. Organized baseball got its first Negro player: shortstop Jack Roosevelt Robinson. Montreal of the International League. Russia signed the United Nations charter, making it effective, a German invited a device to turn rubble into building bricks, and Quisling was shot. Both houses agreed to cut 1946 taxes \$5,920,000. Football attendance was up 17.1 per cent over October of 1944. The British fought the Indonesians on Java; civil war was spreading in north China. President Medina of Venezuela was revolutioned out, and President Vargas of Brazil resigned. Shoe rationing ended.

NOVEMBER

Fights Break Out All Over; Give Atom Bomb To Russia?

WAS it a short-lived peace? Indonesians rebelled in Java, Nationalists and Reds battled in China, riots broke out in Palestine, Cairo, the Balkans. London scientists played with alloxazine, a chemical, and produced rats colored orange and sky blue. Commando Kelly, the Congressional medal winner, was reconvened in his own filling station at Pittsburgh. Winston Churchill admitted a life-long secret ambition: to play the kettle drums.

Generals and admirals argued whether to merge the Army and Navy. Everybody's question: Should Russia get the atom secret? Attlee and Truman met in Washington, decided to turn atomic data over eventually to UNO. Cordell Hull won the Nobel prize, then appeared before the Congressional committee digging for the story of Pearl Harbor. Shanghai trolley workers won a strike and got a raise of \$15,000 a month—in inflated Chinese money. Going out: Gen. George C. Marshall as Army Chief of Staff, Adm. Ernest J. King, as Chief of Naval Operations. Going in: Ike Eisenhower, Adm. Chester Nimitz. New York elected a new mayor: Murder-Buster Bill O'Dwyer.

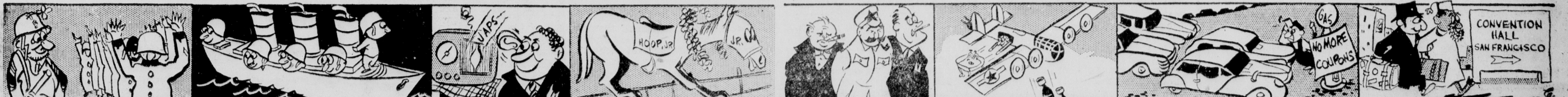
The Big Four lined up against Nazi war criminals at Nuernberg. Maj. Gen. Patrick Hurley let loose at U.S. "career diplomats" in the far east and quit as ambassador to China. His successor: Gen. Marshall. Episcopal Bishop Manning divorced Elliott Roosevelt from his newly appointed post as vestryman of St. James Church at Hyde Park. All food rationing ended—except for sugar—and the CIO Auto Workers walked out of General Motors with demands for a 30 per cent raise. Separatists rose up in Iran, and Yugoslavs proclaimed a federal republic. You can't do that to me, hoped King Peter. The Roosevelt dog Blaze was bumped off after attacking the Roosevelt dog Fala.

DECEMBER

Truman Offers Labor Code And 'The Hat' Takes the Air

"WE ARE at war," said R. J. Thomas, international president of the United Automobile Workers who were picketing General Motors. Japanese General Tomoyuki Yamashita lost an appeal to appear before the U. S. Supreme Court in Washington, and the tamed "Tiger of Malaya" got sentenced to death by hanging. The whole country could look forward to news out of the Hat: New York's retiring Mayor LaGuardia signed to broadcast his comments coast to coast. Army's steamrolling football team ended its undefeated season with a victory over Navy.

Truman drew some boos and some cheers from both sides when he proposed a law forbidding crucial strikes until impartial fact-finders had a chance to make recommendations. The Pearl Harbor inquiry spilled all—or almost all—about how America's code-breakers worked before Pearl Harbor. The U. S. talked of a \$4,400,000,000 loan for Britain at two per cent interest, and the \$11,000,000,000 Victory Loan drive went over the top. Gen. George S. Patton's neck was broken in an automobile accident in Germany, and 1,190 soldiers out of 4,424 on a returning Army transport announced they would re-enlist because of "unsettled civilian conditions." The Pearl Harbor probe counsel announced it was quitting. The Big Three's foreign ministers got together at Moscow to try again. Japan's former premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, killed himself rather than face a war crimes trial. And UNO decided to set up its home in the U.S.A.



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SOCIETY

Corry Girl Will Wed Local Vet

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Houghton, 154 East Congress street, Corry, gave a dinner party at their home on Friday evening to announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Josephine, to Frank Cervola, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cervola, of Warren.

Rosebuds, tied with a heart bearing the names of Phyllis and Frank, were at each place for the six o'clock dinner.

Miss Houghton is a graduate of Bolton High School at Alexandria, Va., and also attended Corry schools. She was formerly employed by the Aero Supply Company in Corry.

Mr. Cervola is a graduate of Warren High School and was recently discharged from the army after serving for two years with the 112th Infantry, 28th Division, in Europe. He was awarded the silver Star, the Bronze Star, and the Purple Heart.

No wedding date has been set.

Mrs. Edwin Jack Presents Pupils

Mrs. Edwin Jack presented her pupils in their annual holiday program at seven o'clock Saturday evening at her studio, 13 Elm street.

The program opened with a group of Christmas carols sung by David Petersen, accompanied by Marilyn Petersen.

Piano pupils appearing were Dennis Daley, Janet Kline, Cynthia Barker, Gerald Klenck, Joan Muscaro, Mary Lou Hibner, Verneda Jones, Marilyn Petersen, Mary Klenck, Joan Carlson, Dorothy Stoddard and Marie Klenck. Voice pupils presented were Patricia Ferrenti, Dorothy Stoddard and Iris Jean Eldridge.

Guests numbering 40 included parents and friends of the pupils, who expressed their appreciation of the manner in which the students presented their numbers and of progress made.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Frances Peterson and Mrs. Robert Carlson.

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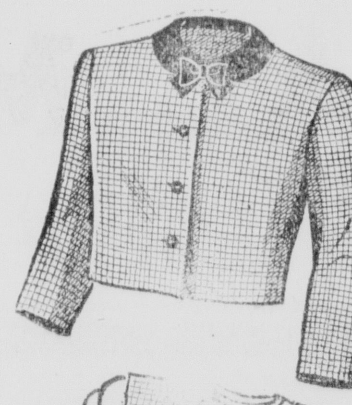
A very pleasant gathering was held at the YWCA activities building on Friday evening, when over 100 members and friends of the First Church of the Nazarene gathered to hold a reception for the Rev. Gordon V. Woods, who just recently was recalled as pastor for another year.

The group included three out of town ministers, Rev. Merriman, N. Y., and Rev. Paul Slagle.

A letter of congratulations from Rev. Schlosser, of Bradford, was read, and a very interesting program presented by the young people of the church. Concluding refreshments were served by the Bereahah Class.

A hearty welcome was accorded Rev. Woods and family in the form of an original poem by Mrs. Preston Taylor.

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WATCH NIGHT AT FIRST EVANGELICAL

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Social Events

ENTERTAIN FOR GRACE CHOIR PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schorman, 11 East Third avenue, entertained 29 members of Grace Methodist choir on Thursday evening for the annual Christmas party. After a delicious dinner of ham and all "the fixins", Santa in the person of W. C. Carlson distributed gifts from his well filled pack. Special gifts were also presented to Mrs. Edwin Jack, the director, and to Mrs. Charlotte Smith, who is leaving to join her husband in Washington, D. C. Games and group singing were then enjoyed and at a late hour guests departed with many expressions of appreciation to the Schormans for an especially delightful evening.

MOVING TO BELMONT

Miss Joanna L. Mackay, of Rochester, N. Y., has been in Warren for a short visit with her grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Prescott, 14 Buchanan street. She leaves Saturday for Salamanca, N. Y., to meet her mother, Mrs. Louise Mackay, and assist her in moving to Belmont, N. Y., where Mrs. Mackay will continue as home demonstration agent for the Home Economics Extension Bureau of New York State. Miss Mackay will then return to Rochester, to continue her studies in the Graduate School of the University of Rochester.

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Thursday—3:15, Girls' Club cabinet meeting, high school.
Friday—1:15, Two-to-Four Club; 2:30, North Warren Girl Reserves; 7:30, Girl Scout Twelfth Night observance; 10:00, High School Girls' Club sock-jump.
Saturday—6:00, Pennsylvania Gas Company dinner; 7:30, Freshman sleighride.

LADIES' AID TO HAVE ANNUAL

A large attendance is desired for the all-day meeting of the First Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society, to be held on Thursday. There will be quilting during the forenoon, a tureen luncheon at one o'clock and the annual meeting and election of officers during the afternoon.

SERVICE AT RUSSELL

Russell, Dec. 31—A Watch Night service will be held this evening in the Methodist church, with games, a social time and refreshments starting at nine o'clock, and a religious service lasting from eleven o'clock until midnight. All persons in the community are cordially invited to participate in this evening of fun and inspiration.

WOMEN OF MOOSE

Warren Chapter 693, Women of the Moose, will hold its regular meeting at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, at which time all committee chairmen having reports are asked to present same. The six o'clock supper and social hour in the afternoon have been postponed until January 16 because of the many holiday activities.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mrs. Willis L. Wineriter announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Helen Smosna, to William E. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Jackson, 218 Canton street. No date has been set, but the wedding is expected to be an event of the near future.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS CHANGE MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America scheduled for January 2 has been changed to Wednesday, January 9. Mrs. N. J. Mangus and Mrs. S. J. Cosmano will have charge of the program for that evening.

PARTY FOR NORTH WARREN CHILDREN

The North Warren Civic Club and Homemakers Club are sponsoring a Christmas and New Year's party for children of the community at eight o'clock Tuesday evening in the community house.

LUTHERAN UNIT POSTPONES MEETING

The Women's Missionary Society of First Lutheran church has postponed its regular meeting from tomorrow, New Year's Day, to January 15, and all members and friends are asked to note the change.

NEW YEAR'S MASSES IN CATHOLIC PARISHES

Masses on New Year's morning in St. Joseph's church will be held at 5:30, 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30, while at Holy Redeemer church the schedule will be as follows: 6:00 and 8:00.

One 50-foot length of garden hose contains enough rubber to make one pneumatic life-saving raft.

Grange News

WARREN UNIT WILL INSTALL

The regular meeting of Warren Grange No. 1025, to be held at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, will include installation of newly elected officers. The business session will be preceded by a 6:30 tureen supper for which each one is asked to bring a tureen and rolls.

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Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12; 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

MRS. ALMA SWANSON

Final rites for Mrs. Alma Swanson, 1919 Pennsylvania avenue, east, were held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday at the Peterson Funeral Home, in charge of her pastor, Rev. Nore Gustafson, of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Bearers for interment in Oakland cemetery were Rudolph Swanson, Rudolph Peterson, Carl J. Douglas, Hugh Olsson, Bert Larson and Emmett Ecklund. Attending from away were Esther Lindquist, Mrs. C. W. Peterson and Rudolph Peterson, Falconer, N. Y.

MRS. J. AUGUST PETERSON

Sheffield, Dec. 30—Johanna Christian, widow of the late J. Peterson, passed away Sunday, December 30, at 8:00 a. m. at her home at 111 VanEtten avenue.

Mrs. Peterson was born May 3, 1869, in Rygg, Hvaling, Sweden, the daughter of the late Charles T. and Johanna Britta Swanson. She came to America June 22, 1878, and made her home in Sheffield, and resided here until her death. She was confirmed in the Lutheran church June 1, 1884.

On April 10, 1889, in Sheffield, she married John August Peterson. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary April 10, 1939. Six children blessed this union, and five of them survive, Selma Alvida, Jennie Berthida, Emory Wilbert, Clyde Edward and Lillian Florence (Mrs. Lawrence Newburg). A son, John Albert, preceded her in death February 12, 1937, and her husband, November 6, 1943.

She is also survived by five grandchildren: Janet Louise and Jerry Newburg; Patricia, Helen and Dorothy May Peterson; also a sister, Mrs. Oscar W. Peterson, of Jamestown, N. Y.

Mrs. Peterson has been in failing health for a great number of years, and more so since the death of her beloved son John and her husband, but she was able to be about the house until bedridden five weeks ago. She has been a member of the Bethany Lutheran church since 1884. Funeral services in her memory will be held Wednesday, January 2, at 2:30 p. m., at the family residence with Reverend Hans Pearson officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Sheffield cemetery.

MRS. HJALMER FORSGREN

(Special to Times-Mirror)

Services in loving memory of Mrs. Hjalmer Forsgren were held at the Peterson Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by her pastor, Rev. Milton Perry, of the First Baptist church. The hymn, "Peace, Sweet Peace," was sung by Ralph Owens.

The members of the Quaintance Class attended in a body and took charge of many details of the service, a beautiful testimony of their love for this member who was active in the class as long as her health permitted.

Another group of sorrowing friends was from the Seneca P. T. A., in memory of the many years she had served among them in various offices. It was during her term as president, and due largely to her untiring efforts, that the wading pool and shuffle board were installed at the South Side playgrounds. Also her work in the Brownie Troop and her help in the early constructive days of Birdall Edey are well remembered.

The following men acted as bearers to her last resting place: Russell Forsgren, Norman Forsgren, Ralph Owens, John Dickinson, Robert Carlson and Herbert Harris.

Those who attended from out of town were: Mrs. Anna Vanstrom, Mrs. Mildred Shoebeck, Mr. and Mrs. Vanstrom from Jamestown, N. Y.

MRS. DELLA GREENLEE

W. A. Greenlee, 26 Franklin street, has received word of the death of his mother, Mrs. Della Greenlee, which occurred this morning at her home in Girard. The widow of A. A. Greenlee, she had been in failing health for some time. A more complete obituary and funeral announcements will be published on Wednesday.

MRS. AUGUSTA PETERSON

Sheffield, Dec. 30—Services were held Saturday afternoon from the Borden Funeral Home in memory of Mrs. Augusta Peterson, with Reverend Hans Pearson officiating. Committal was made in the Sheffield cemetery with Emory and Clyde Peterson, Charlie Lindahl and Henry Anderson acting as pall bearers.

Attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. George Glans, Gunnard Johnson, Jamestown, N. Y.; John Freeman and Carl Johnson, Irvine; Mrs. Eugene Brizius, Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. C. O. Bergstrom, Dunbar, N. Y.; Mrs. Madeline Szymczak, Frewsburg, N. Y.; Franklin Nordland, Mrs. Helen Nordland, Akeley; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graybill, Mrs. Cecil Graybill, Fishers; Miss Clara Hammer, Mrs. J. Nordine, Fred Peterson, Warren.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Lt. Leroy P. Schwab, who died of wounds received in action one year ago today, December 31st.

We are thinking of you today dear one

Thinking of you and the past. Picturing you in our memory, Just as we saw you last.

We do not need a special day To bring you in our mind.

The days we do not think of you Are very hard to find.

If all the world were ours, We would give it, yes, and more.

To see the face of our dear Leroy Come smiling through the door.

Sadly missed by Loved Ones.

Dec. 31-1*

The iron dome of the U. S. Capitol weighs 8,909,200 pounds.

Holiday Project



The holiday project of the Girl Scout Service Bureau ended on Thursday with the awarding of ribbons to girls who have given 25 or more hours of service, and an afternoon of fun sponsored by the program committee of the Warren County Girl Scout Council. As a fitting climax to the project in which girls have learned how people in other lands celebrate religious festivals, Harold L. Banghart told of his experiences in Palestine, of the people and their customs.

A total of 146 stuffed toys has been completed by more than 50 girls who met weekly for more than two months to sew for children in other countries. Some of the toys are on display in the Betty Lee store, together with books, which will be sent to Greece, Holland and Russia. Mrs. Harold Blair presented ribbons to Girl Scouts for the following hours of service: Nula Cheronis, 36 hours; Ann Bannon, 33 hours; Diantha Chesnut, 28 hours; Ellen Henderson, 26 hours; Dawn Taft, Joyce and Janet Furman, Mary Carol and Nancy Lee Zwald and Betty Moore, each 25 hours.

Local Hotel Gets Boost In New York P.M.

In the issue of Friday's P. M., New York's famous tabloid newspaper the following appeared in the space devoted to letters to the editor:

Fit For a King

Dear Editor: I've been on "the road" since early September, seldom staying more than a week in any one place. I've just finished a breakfast of real fresh orange juice, corn flakes and real thick cream, fried eggs and delicious sausage, hot-cakes and maple syrup, and "unchihichored" coffee with thick cream—for the price of 65 cents.

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Jerome Gordon

Carver Hotel, Warren, Pa. The article has attracted wide attention and any number of clippings have been sent into the hotel by patrons of the Carver House who have read and noted the "boost" given the local hostelry. It is a fine tribute to the hotel and in the New York paper affords a splendid piece of publicity for which the management can be proud.

Solar Electric Secures Large Settlement

A long standing controversy between Solar Electric Corporation and the Corning Glass Works was brought to a successful conclusion for the local company on Friday by a representative of the Corning company who was in Warren to conclude the arrangements.

During the years 1935 to 1943 the Corning Glass Works refused to furnish the local company with inside frosted bulbs because of the possibility of infringing the Pipkin patent process of the General Electric Company. The local company maintained that the patent did not represent new art and proceeded to inside frost its bulbs locally with specially designed equipment during these years. The Solar Electric Corporation, in affiliation with other independent lamps manufacturers, carried the case to the higher courts and a few weeks ago the supreme court of the United States handed down a decision that the patent in question was invalid and therefore unenforced.

In settlement for the added expense caused the local company by Corning's refusal to sell them inside frosted bulbs a payment of \$27,333 was made.

This patent represents the last one of any consequence that need be adjudicated in the incandescent lighting field and this leaves the company in a position to continue its expansion without the expense of similar litigation.

BIRTHS

Visiting Hours
2:30 to 3:30—7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

In Philadelphia
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Heelan, of Philadelphia, are the parents of a son born this morning. Mrs. Heelan is the former June DeFrees, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DeFrees, of Warren.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for the many kind deeds, words of sympathy extended and the flower offerings during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Abraham.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Abraham.
12-31-17

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who extended us their sympathy, acts of kindness, floral offerings and use of cars at the time of the death of our mother, Mrs. Augusta Peterson.

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CHURCH AND MCINTYRE MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Edna Lorraine McIntyre and Charles Eugene Church, both of Warren, at three o'clock Sunday afternoon in Trinity Memorial church. The candle-light ceremony was performed by the Rev. Beecher Rutledge.

The lovely bride wore an ensemble of blue with gray accessories, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Her only attendant was Mrs. Emerson Simpson.

Emerson Simpson was best man for Mr. Church.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception for the immediate families was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sarvis, Hickory street.

After a wedding trip, the couple will be at the Alpha Apartments, Market street.

P. T. A. News

MEAD TOWNSHIP UNIT

The Mead township PTA will hold its regular meeting in the school Thursday, January 6. It will be held at 8 o'clock sharp and Mrs. Williams, of the Williams School of Dancing will present nine of her pupils in an 11 act recital of tap and acrobatic dancing. The business meeting will follow and refreshments will be served. All are asked to bring sugar for their coffee. All members and friends are invited to be present.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. John Casses, Sr., 313 United avenue, had as out of town guests over the Christmas holiday their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tod Barlet and son, James, of Eldred; and their son, Pfc. John Casses, Jr., who is stationed at Indiantown Gap. Another son, Norbert, and his wife have purchased the Floyd Hedges property at 310 East street and took up their residence there during Christmas week.

Miss Dorothy Ann Harris, cadet nurse stationed at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, arrived home this morning to spend New Year's with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Harris, 31 Buchanan street, and family. Miss Rebecca Harris, of Bradford, is also visiting with her family.

Lt. Harriet Geraldine Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald P. Martin, Kinzua, spent a seven-day leave with her family and friends for the holiday. George P. Shelton, of Bel Air, Md., was also a guest at the Martin home.

Mrs. Margaret Nicholson, of Tidioute, record librarian at Warren General Hospital, is getting along nicely following an appendectomy performed at the institution yesterday morning.

G. A. Wallace, who successfully operated the Carver Hotel for many years is planning to leave soon for New Orleans and will later continue on to Havana, Cuba, with a return trip from the south planned by boat to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Smith and daughter, Judy Ann, arrived this morning from Philadelphia to visit Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Font, 1 Nesmith street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lott, of Washington, D. C., returned to that city last evening after spending the holiday season in the city with Mrs. Grace Lott.

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HERE IS THE ISSUE

Is American Business To Be Based on Free Competition, Or Is It To Become Socialized, With All Activities Controlled and Regulated?

General Motors has faced what it believes is a highly critical issue. It has made its decision. It is important that the public understand the issue. The issue at stake transcends the interests of General Motors. There is involved something far more consequential—a most vital principle.

Is American business in the future, as in the past, to be conducted as a competitive system? Or is the determination of the essential economic factors, such as costs, prices, profits, etc., upon which business success and progress depend, to be made politically by some governmental agency instead of by the management appointed by the owners of the business for that purpose?

America is at the crossroads! It must preserve the freedom of each unit of American business to determine its own destinies, or it must transfer to some governmental bureaucracy or agency, or to a union, the responsibility of management that has been the very keystone of American business. Shall this responsibility be surrendered? That is the decision the American people face. America must choose!

General Motors has made its choice. It refuses to subscribe to what it believes will ultimately become, through the process of evolution, the death of the American system of competitive enterprise. It will not participate voluntarily in what stands out crystal-clear at the end of the road—a regimented economy. If this is what the American people want they must make that choice through their accredited representatives in Congress. General Motors declines for itself to take such a great responsibility.

It may be said that this is an exaggeration. It is not! All business questions are inter-related. Costs, prices, wages, profits, schedules, investments must be the responsibility of management. Political determination of such relationships means regimentation.

The idea of ability to pay, whatever its validity may be, is not applicable to an individual business within an industry as a basis for raising its wages beyond the going rate.

Consider the implications of such a principle. Who would risk money to develop or expand a business under such circumstances? Where would be the

incentive to do a more efficient job? Would it be intelligent to destroy the incentive for efficiency? Would it not be more intelligent to subscribe to the principle that no one should be forced to pay more than the going rate? Should General Motors, assuming it is more efficient, be required to pay more for materials, for transportation, for services or for wages than its competition? And how much more determined by a political governmental agency?

Do you subscribe to the belief that you should pay for what you buy or the services you use on the basis of your financial resources? It is clear that this is the principle involved.

The President of the United States has appointed a Fact-Finding Board to inquire into the circumstances involved in the demands of the UAW-CIO upon General Motors and to make recommendations related thereto. General Motors stood ready to supply the Board with all necessary data regarding wage rates, employees' earnings, hours of employment, and all other relevant information regarding wages and employment. However, the Board has ruled that General Motors' ability to pay will be considered as a fact in determining an increase in wages. This would require an appraisal of costs, prices, prospective volume of business, investment factors, expenses and the entire forward operating program of the business, thus the Board would assume the most vital functions of management.

General Motors is not contending that it has or has not the ability to pay. It always has paid liberal wages. It has attempted through protracted collective bargaining sessions to determine what is fair and equitable today. It has made a fair and liberal offer to the Union.

Notwithstanding the importance of re-establishing employment and resuming production at the earliest possible moment, the above reasons have made it impossible for General Motors to participate in the proceedings of the Board under the procedures as now established, and it has therefore withdrawn from the hearings. It takes that position with great regret, but it does so in the sincere belief that this action is in the long-term interest of employees, consumers, investors, and of the public as well—and of higher standards for all.

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GARLAND

Garland, Dec. 27—A Christmas party was held on Wednesday evening in Garland's Community building. There was a Christmas tree and gifts were exchanged. A girl's choir from the New Process Company in Warren furnished music. Refreshments and games also were a feature.

Mrs. Merle Sandrock was hostess on Thursday evening to the ladies of the community where gifts were exchanged and games and refreshments were enjoyed.

The Tripp children held a reunion in Garland.

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trees outside are heavily laden with snow bringing to us a White Christmas.

The road caretakers were out early Christmas morning considering the slippery pavement.

Mrs. Stuart of Pittsfield was laid to rest in the Garland Presbyterian cemetery on Thursday.

Miss Eva Bristow who has been teaching in Vermont, is spending her holidays here and with relatives in Erie.

Peter Leofsky has been on the sick list but is improved.

Homer Black has been discharged from the navy and his family are awaiting his return.

Five and one-half per cent of the total population of the United States consists of persons more than 65 years of age.

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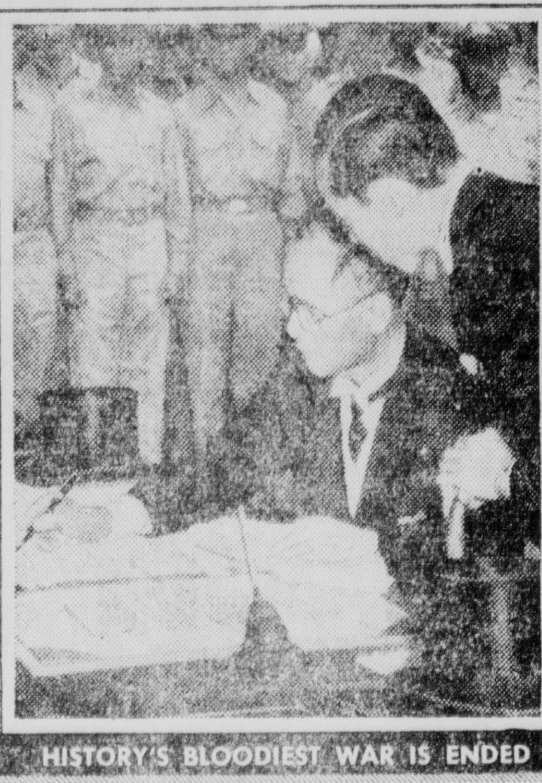
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MACKENZIE'S Column

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

AP World Traveler

London—I have just had by first private conversation with the head of Britain's new labor (Socialist) government, Prime Minister Attlee—and I like him.

Now of course this is a wholly unorthodox way of beginning our article, but it's deliberate. Naturally it doesn't matter a pot of small beans whether I like Mr. Attlee—except for one reason—an interviewer's first and most important task is to size up his personage. During the instant between crossing the threshold and shaking of hands, the reporter must have determined the character of his man. It's partly training but mostly intuition.

I like Attlee because he looks honest.

The prime minister received me in his office at number ten Downing street—not the first time I've interviewed a premier there, by the way. There's the same rather

victorian setting of rich old mahogany and red plush, but the surroundings are blacked-out by your interest in the quiet, almost retiring man who is the leader of England's Leftist swing. Bald, bespectacled, the paleness of his face accentuated by a black moustache, he looks like an intellectual—and is one.

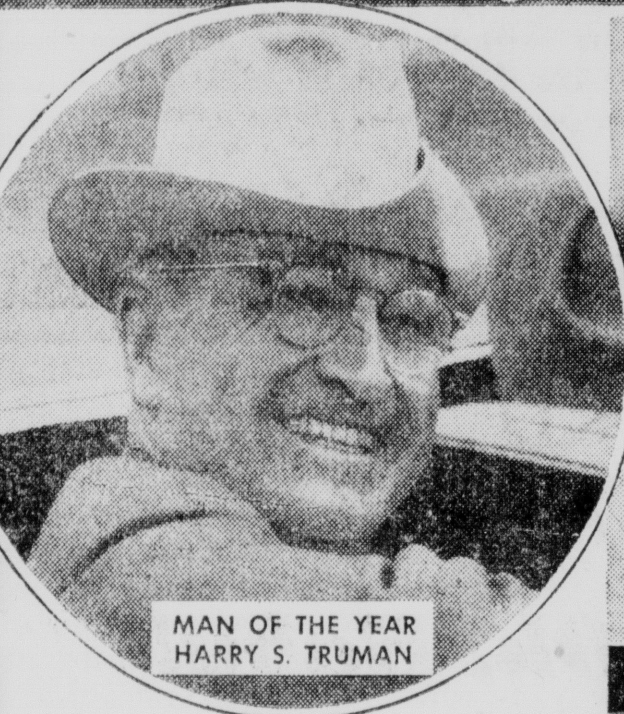
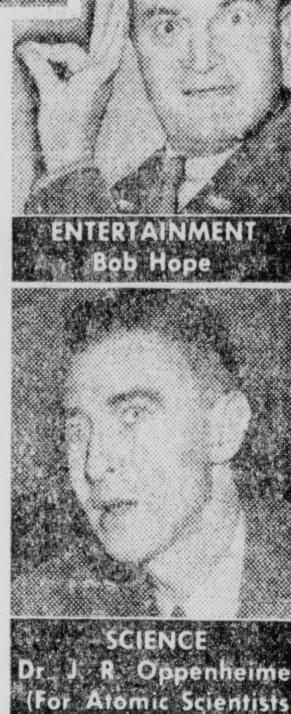
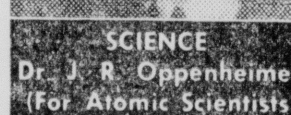
Mr. Attlee responded thoughtfully but freely to blunt questions. Because he has made it a rule not to give interviews for publication, I can't quote him here. However, it is permitted for me to give my understanding of the government's attitude on some major issues. So I'm going to mention briefly a few points in which readers of this column have expressed special interest.

The labor party has come out categorically against any form of totalitarian government. But what about regimentation of the workers under the nationalization of industry such as is being inaugurated?

Well, I believe Mr. Attlee has said in effect on the floor of the house of commons that there will be no regimentation—that labor will be free to pick and choose its jobs without dictation by the government. In fact, should the government attempt to dictate, the trade unions would block it.

That is the attitude of the moderate socialist group headed by Mr. Attlee. I should be stating only a partial truth, however, if I didn't report that there are a few influential socialist leaders who

The Year's Outstanding Personalities

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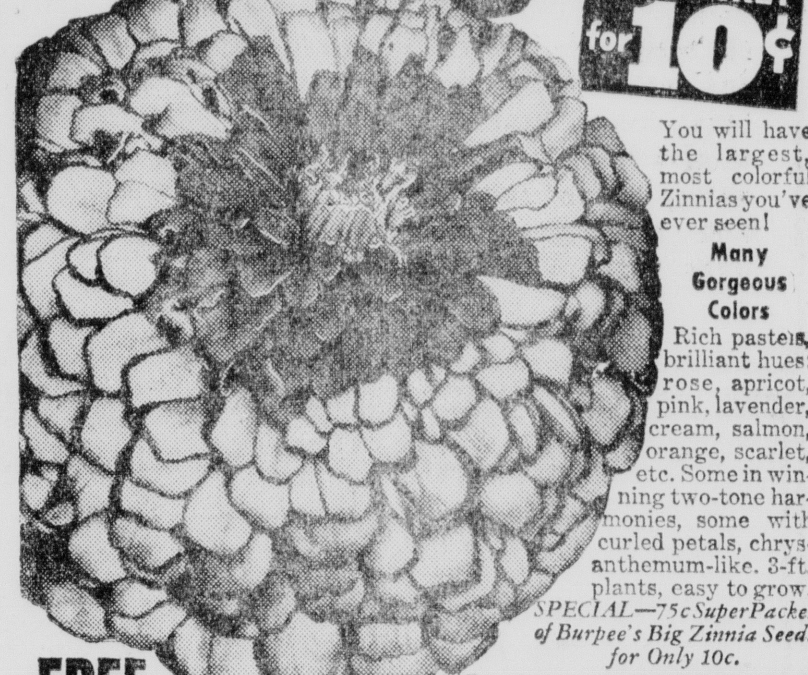
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YOUNGVILLE NEWS

Youngville, Dec. 28—Announcement is now made of the awards made by the Youngville Business People's Association for local decorations of homes during the Christmas season. Clarence Walter is president of the Association.

The Christmas displays were judged by Mrs. Gerda Lawrence, Art Instructor of Warren High School, Mrs. Mary Overturf and Mrs. Mary Keeler of Warren. They were assisted by Mrs. Rose Hubert and Miss Goldia Hill of the local Business and Professional Women's Club.

Due to driving conditions, the judges were unable to make more than one study of the display. This inspection was made Dec. 23rd.

The following awards were made for strictly outside displays:

1st prize—Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson 106 Marsh Ave.

2nd prize—Mrs. Mertie Kay, 308 West Main street.

3rd prize—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chappel, 615 East Main street.

Strictly inside display as viewed from the outside:

1st prize—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sells, 314 West Main street.

2nd prize—Earl J. Walter's residence, display arranged by Donnie Walter, West Main street.

3rd prize—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gobliger, East Main street.

There were other attractively decorated homes in Youngville, and the business people's association appreciated all the effort shown in local decorations.

LOCALS

Mrs. Laura Hill entertained a group for Christmas dinner which included her son Dick and wife.

Dick has just returned from a long service in navy in the Pacific. Though he was through many dangerous landing operations his boat was unharmed and all the crew came through without any fatalities.

The Orange Circle will meet on Wednesday afternoon Jan. 2nd with Mrs. John Kellerman on North Main street.

The Brokenstraw Garden Club will hold a New Years meeting Jan. 1st with a tureen dinner at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Streeter. All members are urged to be present.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kellerman were Mrs. Margaret Day of Russell and two sons one home from the army and the other from the navy.

Science Now Turns To All Peace Work

Pittsburgh—Science and engineering reached their all-time pinnacle in 1945 by providing to win the greatest of wars and by losing the power which opened the atomic age—then turned abruptly to peacetime pursuits without loss of impetus.

That was the essence of the year-end review of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, issued today.

New war implements which the review listed as useful in peacetime include:

Jet propulsion—its adaption to the geared gas turbine, which "seems destined to become the real workhorse of future commercial aviation."

Radar—for use in navigation and adaptation to stratovision, "a radically new technique for air-

borne television that will hasten coast-to-coast television coverage." Tank gun stabilizers—applying them to make smoother rides for railroad passengers.

M. W. Smith, Westinghouse vice president in charge of engineering, commented that "from a science and engineering viewpoint the year just passed probably has been the most fruitful in the knowledge of man."

"The year even brought forth an 'electric thinker'." A Westinghouse engineer invented a mechanical transient analyzer which solves mechanical stress problems and writes the answer with an electric beam on a fluorescent screen, problems which would have taken a man months to figure have been solved by the analyzer in as little as two days.

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Philadelphian Heads Y Post-War Program

Appointment of Lester C. Haworth, general secretary of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A., as associate general secretary of the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations, with Offices at 347 Madison Ave., New York, was announced last week by Eugene E. Barnett, the organization's general secretary.

In his new post Mr. Haworth will direct the Y. M. C. A.'s past war restoration program planned to rebuild war-damaged properties, expand staffs depleted by the war, and otherwise strengthen the Y. M. C. A. movement throughout the world.

Before becoming general secretary of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A., Mr. Haworth headed Y. M. C. A.'s in Buffalo, St. Louis, Youngstown, Ohio and Bombay, India. He also visited most of the local Y. M. C. A.'s in the Philippines.

Japan, Korea, China and Manchuria. During World War I, he was director of Y. M. C. A. service to troops of the A.E.F. in Central Europe and visited most of the Associations on the continent. In 1924 in St. Louis Mr. Haworth directed a successful drive for \$3,000,000, the largest "Y" campaign ever undertaken until that time. During his 16 years in Philadelphia he virtually wiped out a \$5,300,000 debt and greatly expanded Y. M. C. A. activities there. Mr. Haworth is a graduate of Earlham College and is a member of the Society of Friends.

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	Yugoslavia	

There are many parcels to choose from at prices ranging from \$5.64 to \$8.79. For example, parcel No. K-1 consists of the following articles at a price of \$7.94:

2 lbs. green coffee	1 can meat loaf
1 lb. cocoa	2 lbs. powdered milk
1/2 lb. tea	1 lb. rice
7 oz. chocolate bar	1 lb. dried fruit
	4 bars soap

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FIRST BABY Contest

Again the merchants of the community are welcoming the First New Year Baby with lovely, practical gifts.

Contest Rules

- 1—Parents must be residents of Warren or North Warren.
- 2—The actual hour, minute and date of birth must be confirmed by the attending physician.
- 3—Baby must be born in the city limits or North Warren proper.



First 1945 Baby
KAREN LOUISE ROSENQUIST
At the Age of 6 Months

Your Baby's Pictures

are among your most treasured possessions. They constitute a permanent record of your child's development that will be greatly prized all through the years—lovable, natural pictures, as real as baby himself.

Our Gift to the 1946 Baby
SIX 4x6 PHOTOS IN FOLDERS
Pictures must be taken within 6 months

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If you want something really fitting for a cherished little friend of yours, there's nothing finer than a gift of jewelry or silverware from Darling's.

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Our Gift to the 1946 Baby

Choice of
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Sacques, Robes and Buntings to KEEP BABY WARM

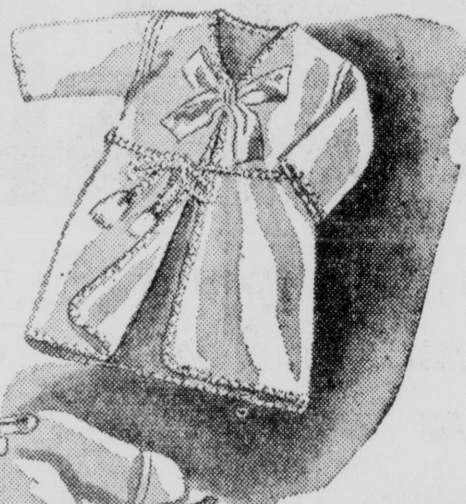
A "must" for baby's winter health and comfort! Trimmed with ribbons and bows, to keep baby looking precious. Beacon or Esmond cloth, in pink or blue. Each garment is individually gift boxed.

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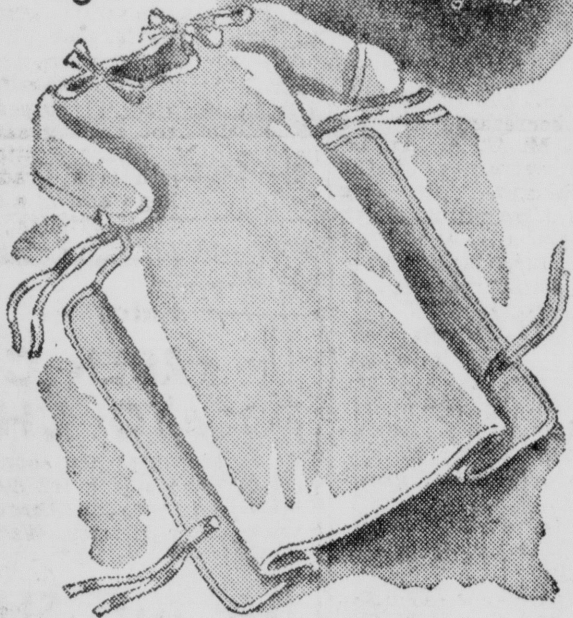


Our Gift to the New Year's Baby
An Exquisite Reversible
Pink and Blue
Rayon Bed
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\$1.00



SLEEPING
BAG
\$3.22



BUNTING. Fleecy blanket cloth. Attached hood. So snug and comfy—baby will love being "fenced in!" **2.98**

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"Brown's" will be closed all day Monday, Dec. 31st, and New Year's Day, Tuesday, Jan. 1st. Open for business at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Brown's
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Warren's Popular Family Shoe Store

MOTHERS... We've Gone to the Seat of the Trouble!

Playtex Baby Pants 69c

From now on the "seat" is no trouble at all. Hot, rubberized baby pants are now out of date. PLAYTEX Baby Pants overcome all the old complaints. They're thin, soft, non-chafing, and cool to wear. Made of that amazing material, creamy liquid latex, they S-T-R-E-T-C-H to give your baby perfect comfort. They're waterproof and cleaned with a 10-second rinse. Four sizes: small, medium, large and extra large. Gift packaged in silver color boxes.



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\$2 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE

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Warren's Exclusive Infants' and Children's Shop
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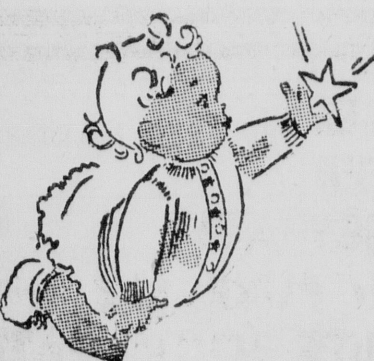
Our Gift to the First Baby

A Pink or Blue Baby Bunting

We have a complete line of clothes and accessories for the baby, little lads and lassies and teen agers

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To the Little 1946 Stranger We Extend
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OUR GIFT
A Baby Blanket

36-50 inch, Satin Bound, Jacquard Pattern

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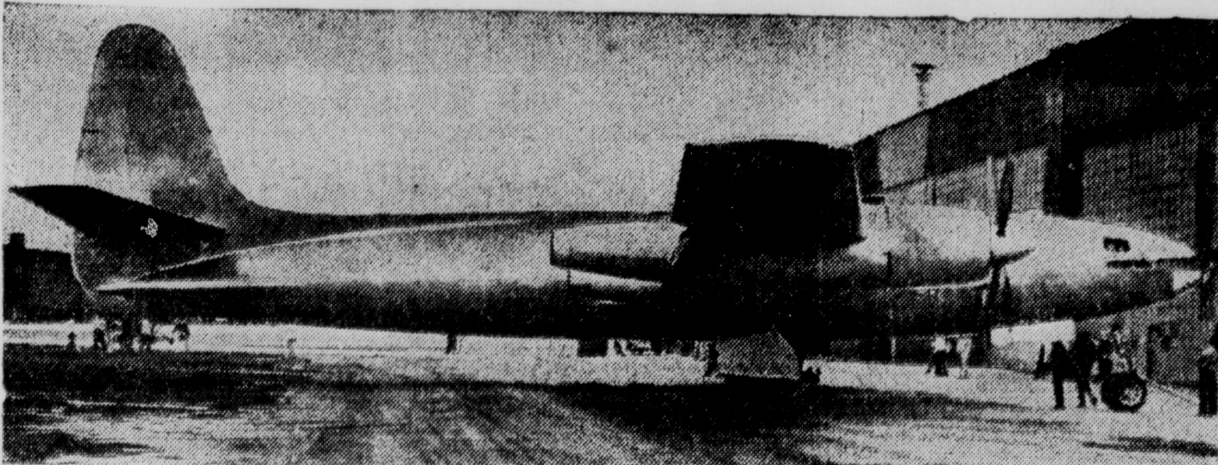
Headquarters for Correct Infants' Wear

Sales By Farm Teams Great Aid to Victory Bond Drive

No quota was set for the County Farm Teams, but their outstanding records have contributed greatly to the success of the Victory Loan drive. Below is a report of their Victory Bond sales, which have been allocated to the country districts:

	Sales
Stanley Lawrence, Chairman.	
Farmington Twp.—Mrs. Lloyd Hedges, captain; workers, Mrs. Roy Lindell, Miss Lillian Lindell, Mrs. Rose Falconer, Mrs. Bert Van Ord, Mrs. E. A. Stanton, Mrs. Warner Beck, Mrs. M. L. Satterlund and Mrs. Walter Carlson	\$7,162.50
Glade Twp.—William Olney, captain; workers, Walter D. Ward, Mrs. Elmer Ploss and Mrs. Merle Schweitzer	137.50
Spring Creek Twp.—Leon D. Whiteley, captain; workers, Mrs. Hazel Eldred, Mrs. Leon Whiteley and Mrs. Cecil Burleigh	2,518.75
Sugar Grove Twp.—Alfred Akin, captain; workers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson, Mrs. Dorothy Rhodes and Mrs. E. R. Tuley	2,518.75

New Sky Giant Nearly Ready for Test



Secretly under development for more than two years, first test flights are scheduled soon for Republic's new XF-12, above, Army photo reconnaissance plane. The highly streamlined four-motored ship is described as the military forerunner of the manufacturer's Rainbow Transport. It is about the same size as the famous P-47 Thunderbolt.

North Warren Reaches 236% Of Its Victory Bond Quota

As the following figures show, North Warren has an unusually fine record for Victory Bond sales. All bonds purchased before December 31st count in the present drive and undoubtedly the final return will show a still larger percentage for North Warren:

	Sales
Team 1—Mrs. Florence Newhall, captain	\$1,350.00
Team 2—Mrs. Florence Ward, captain	4,699.25
Team 3—Chris Pepke, captain	975.00
Team 4—Mrs. Eline Noble, captain	5,781.75
Blomquist Store	506.25
Boy Scouts	318.75
North Warren School	37.50
Non-solicited	112.50
Other than "E" Bonds	10,000.00
Total	\$23,651.00

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By MERRILL BLOSSER



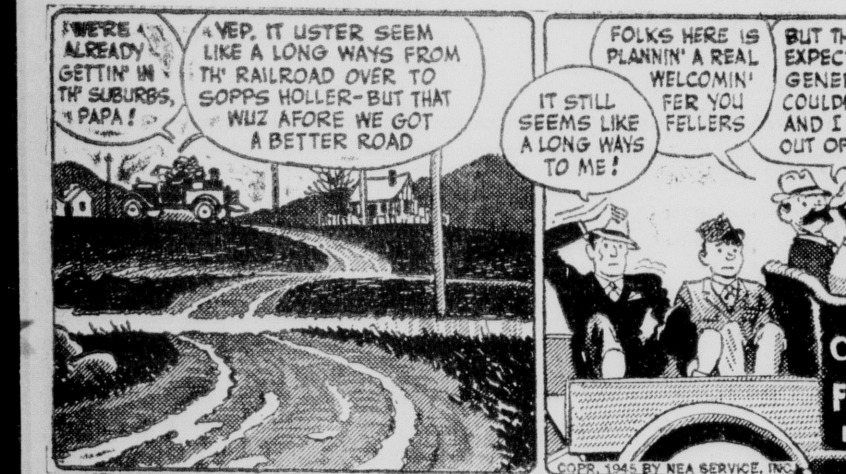
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By LESLIE TURNER



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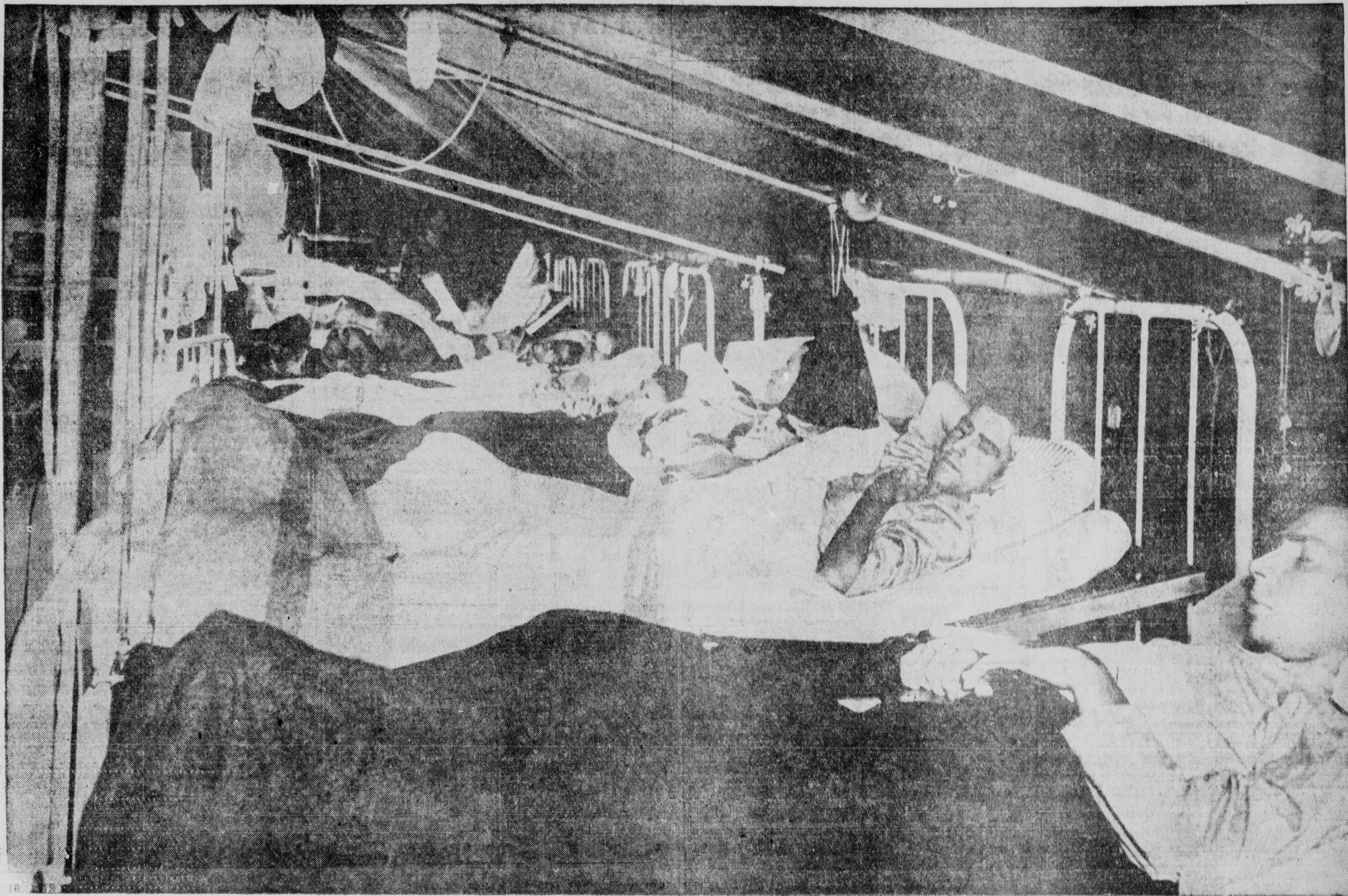
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Who dares say *"Happy New Year"* in a Hospital?

• It's New Year's Day.

The eyes of the wounded watch you. Their faces follow your progress down the long lines of white hospital beds.

Could you smile at them and say, "Happy New Year"? The words would stick in your throat!

For them, this New Year holds no promise, except

of pain. The legless, the armless, the sick, and wounded gave themselves for our Victory. What can we give them in return?

Surely not words. Not the empty brightness of a New Year's greeting. For these, above all, deserve their country's best.

It's up to you to see they get it!

The best of medicine, and doctors, and nursing. The best of hospitals, and care for their wounds of body and spirit. The best of everything they want and need to make their New Year bearable.

How can you do it?

Buy Bonds! Buy Victory Bonds—Your New Year's greeting to the men who bought our Victory!

Buy More Bonds! Hold All Your Bonds!

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SYLVANIA ELECTRIC PRODUCTS INC.
THOMAS FLEXIBLE COUPLING CO.
WARREN LODGE OF ELKS, NO. 223

WARREN AXE & TOOL CO.
WARREN GEAR MANUFACTURING CO.
WARREN BAKING CO.
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40 words or 8 lines	.88 2.40 4.32
45 words or 9 lines	.99 2.70 4.86
50 words or 10 lines	1.10 3.00 5.40
55 words or 11 lines	1.21 3.30 5.94

Announcements

Personals
GET our 1946 Farm and Home Catalogue. It's free. Raynor & Carver, Roberts Building, Jamestown, New York.

WOULD appreciate your renewals on all magazines. Lauretta Masterson, 306 Beech St. Call 1891-R.

Strayed, Lost, Found

1947 CLASS RING, Lander High, lost in Kresge's Monday. Reward. Finder leave at G. C. Murphy's office or call Russell 3132 after 6 p. m.

BLACK and tan beagle hound lost in Hill or Morrison Run. Reward. Call 742-W or Rudolph's Barber Shop.

COOK BOOK picked up by mistake in hallway at 5 Cottage Place. Kindly return same.

PENDANT earring set with diamonds and pearls lost between St. Paul's Lutheran church and bus terminal, or on bus or on Pollett Run road. Liberal reward if returned to Times-Mirror.

BUFF colored cocker spaniel, 9 mos. old, answers to name Vicky, lost. Call 2389 between 9 and 6 for any information concerning same. Reward.

LOST—Gold hand-made rosary in center of town. Reward. Phone 609.

Automotive

11 Automobiles For Sale

LAST CALL BEFORE NEW CEILINGS ARE ANNOUNCED—CAN USE THIS WEEK 25 CARS, 1935-1939 MODELS; 10 CARS 1939-1942 MODELS. ANY MAKE CAR IS ACCEPTABLE. WRITE OR PHONE KEN O'DAY, JAMESTOWN, N. Y., PHONE 6808.

15 Motorcycles and Bicycles

MAN'S good bicycle for sale. Call 30.

Business Service

18 Business Services Offered

UPHOLSTERING, refinishing, repairing, awnings. New service of signs. C. M. Folkman. Phone 419. 108 1/2 Frank St.

25 Moving, Trucking, Storage

MOVING—Local long distance. Furniture packed, crated, stored. Masterson Transfer Co. Phone 35.

STORAGE SPACE of all types, reasonable. Call Warren Transfer & Storage Co., 105 Madison Ave. Call 1130.

Employment

32 Help Wanted—Female

GIRL for general housework, five days a week. Phone 2798.

33 Help Wanted—Male

WANTED — Experienced farmer. High wages to right party. John Hennikson, 351 E. Main St., Tidoutte, Pa. Phone 6282.

MEN wanted to set pins. Arcade Bowling Alley.

37 Situations Wanted—Male

FORMER SOLDIER, 26 years of age, 5 years service, desires office work. Experience consists of 2 years chief clerk in Air Corps and 2 years genl. clerk-typist in service forces and former War Department office chief clerk in Washington. Has intelligence score of 119, expert typist, fair bookkeeper, excellent record keeper. Available after Dec. 25th. Phone 2640, or letter to 413 Taft Pl., City. Desires full time work or part time.

BOY, 17, wants work in store after school or Saturday. Write Box 715, care Times-Mirror.

Live Stock

49 Poultry and Supplies

50 WHITE LEGHORN hens, good laying strain. C. E. Alsbaugh, Scandia.

BROILERS and springers, 3 to 6 lbs., alive or dressed. Delivered. Phone 5802-J3.

49-A Rabbits For Sale

RABBITS and hutch for sale cheap. Call 30.

50 Wanted—Live Stock

WANTED—Beef cattle and calves in the vicinity. J. W. Sweeney, Sugar Grove. Phone 17-R2.

WANTED to buy old or crippled horses for fox feed. Phone or write Archibald Fox Ranch, 3001-R12, Warren, Pa.

Merchandise

Articles For Sale

2 WINDOWS, approx. 4x6, with frames; 1 youth bed complete, 1 crib, large, complete. Phone 1162.

TENOR saxophone, boy's reversible coat, size 16. Call 1610-J.

56 Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

FOR SALE—14-inch stove wood, dry. Phone 5013-R21.

59 Household Goods

WHITE kitchen cabinet, sliding porcelain top, metal flour bin and bread drawer, \$35. May be seen at 207 Frank St. Phone 2482-W.

EASY IRON for sale. Call 2663 Russell.

FOR SALE, cheap, 9-piece oak dining room suite. Call 2471.

COAL circulating heaters, some like new; combination ranges, Westinghouse electric range, at Carlson's Second Hand Store, 101 1/2 Russell St.

62 Musical Merchandise

SPINET console piano for sale. Warren Piano Shop, 321 Hickory St.

66 Wanted—To Buy

WANTED—To buy No. 1 baled straw, also baled timothy and clover hay. Phone Russell 2388 evenings.

WANTED—Chestnut grape posts. Must be 7 ft. long minimum, 3 inches on small end. Write Hugh Fiebelkorn, 40 W. Doughty St., Dunkirk, N. Y.

WANTED—To buy 1 1/2-ton dump truck in good condition. Phone Kinzua 8-R2 evenings.

WANTED—Delta bench tools, 14" band saw, 6" jointer, 14" drill especially. What have you? H. A. Beckett, 5 Race Alley, Jamestown, N. Y.

WANTED—We pay cash for used guns, rifles, shotguns or revolvers. Don Finley, Sporting Goods.

Real Estate for Rent

31 Wanted—To Rent

ROOM or apartment wanted by business girl. References furnished upon request. Write P. O. Box 602, Warren.

WANTED—3 or 4 room furnished apartment. Army officer's wife and child. Call 2919-J.

WANTED—Small furnished apt. Ex-service man and wife, no children or pets. Call 9873.

Real Estate for Sale

34 Houses For Sale

TWO APT. house, newly redecorated, with or without furniture. Immediate occupancy. Terms. Inquire 100 Prospect St.

39 Wanted—Real Estate

LOT or small piece of ground wanted at Kinzua, suitable for hunting camp. Will consider small farm. Describe fully. F. L. Powell, 3818 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh 13, Pa.

SEVERAL THOUSAND people read the classified ads in the Times-Mirror each day.

Drake's

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Thanks its customers for their patronage during 1945 and takes this opportunity to wish everyone a Happy New Year

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A Convenient Loan Will Help

If you are worried about several bills coming due at one time, you can solve your problem with a quick, confidential loan.

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HAFFIELD MARBLE AND GRANITE WORKS
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DO YOU NEED NEW Window Shades

NOW TAKING ORDERS

Shades Turned—Draperies and Curtains Hung

Try Crane's O-So-Easy Furniture Polish

B. W. Crane

10 E. Wayne St.

Market Quotations

New York, Dec. 31—(P)—Noon stocks:
Average: 192.65; off 18
Volume: 320,000

Air Reduction	54 1/2
Al Chem and Dye	187 1/2
Al Lud	39 1/2
Am and For Pow	7 1/2
Am Aad and St S	18 1/2
Am Smelt and R	93 1/2
Am Tel and Tel	190 1/2
Am Tob E	90 1/2
Anacosta Cop	44 1/2
Atch T and S F	107 1/2
Balt and Ohio	25 1/2
Bald Loco	54
Barnsdall	22 1/2
Bendix Aviat	53 1/2
Beth Steel	95 1/2
Boeing Airplane	31 1/2
Briggs Mfg	49 1/2
Budd Mfg	25 1/2
Case (J I) Co	45 1/2
Ches and Ohio	55 1/2
Chrysler Corp	132
Colum Gas and W El	10 1/2
Coml Solvents	25
Com and South Pf	122
Cons Edison	33 1/2
Cont Can	44 1/2
Curtiss-Wright	7 1/2
Del Lack and West	14
Douglas Aircraft	98 1/2
El Auto-Lite	47 1/2
Gen Foods	51 1/2
Gen Motors	75
Gen Refract	33 1/2
Greyhound Corp	28 1/2
Harb-Walker	43
Illinois Central	37
Int Nick Can	29 1/2
Int Tel and Tel	48 1/2
Kennecott Cop	33 1/2
Kresge (SS)	40 1/2
Lehigh Port C	4 1/2
Lehigh Vay. Coal	12 1/2
Leh. Val. R. R.	12 1/2
Libby, McN. and L.	12 1/2
Loew's, Inc.	35 1/2
Mid. Cont.	35 1/2
Montgom. Ward	73 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	32 1/2
Nat. Dairy Prod.	73
Nat. Distillers	10 1/2
Nat. Pow. and Lt.	39 1/2
N. Y. Central R. R.	29 1/2
North Amer. Co.	29 1/2
North Amer. Co.	29 1/2
Northern Pacific	5 1/2
Northern Pacific	35 1/2
Packard Motor	10 1/2
Param Pictures	54 1/2
Penn. R. R.	42 1/2
Pub. Svc. N. J.	33 1/2
Pullman	61 1/2
Pure Oil	22 1/2
Radio Corp.	17 1/2
Reading Co.	27 1/2
Repub. Steel	30 1/2
Reynolds Tob. "B"	37 1/2
Sears Roebuck	33 1/2
Sinclair	19 1/2
Socoony-Vacuum	17 1/2
Sperdy Corp	35 1/2
Standard Brands	48 1/2
Std G and E S4 Pfd	33
Stand Oil Cal	47 1/2
Stand Oil Ind	40 1/2
Stand Oil NJ	66 1/2
Studebaker Corp	32 1/2
United Aircraft	24 1/2
Tidewater	24
United Gas Imp	24
US Smelt R and M	76 1/2
US Steel	80 1/2
Warner Bros Pict	32 1/2
West Un Tel A	51 1/2
Aero Supply "B"	6
Arik Nat Gas "A"	6 1/2
Woolworth (FW) (1.80)	51 1/2
Youngst Sh and T	65 1/2
Cities Service	28 1/2
Electric Bond and Share	19 1/2
National	14 1/2
Pennard Corp	8 1/2
South Penn Oil	58



The new year is the one we've been waiting for—the year when reconversion will be completed and production brings realization of the war-years' dream of a new washing machine, a new refrigerator, car, bicycle, camera and whatnot—including NYLONS!

Letters Show Stark Urged U. S. Entry Into War When Germany Attacked Russia

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state department and elsewhere, etc., etc. I have been maintaining that only a war psychology could or would speed things up the way they should be speeded up; that strive as we would it just isn't the nature of things to get the results in peace as we would, were we at war.

"We shall give aid to Russia. I hope she and Germany may break upon each other. Europe dominated by the Communists is no more an attractive feature, in fact, less so, than a Europe dominated by the Nazis. Here's hoping we have neither, but rather that they exhaust themselves."

Included in the file was a memorandum which Stark prepared Oct. 8, 1941, for Secretary of the Navy Knox on the factors involved should the United States go to war with Germany.

"It has long been my opinion," he said, "that Germany cannot be defeated unless the United States is wholeheartedly in the war and makes a strong military and naval effort wherever strategy dictates."

"It would be very desirable to enter the war under circumstances in which Germany were the aggressor and in which case Japan might then be able to remain neutral."

"However, on the whole, it is my opinion that the United States should enter the war against Germany as soon as possible, even if hostilities with Japan must be accepted."

Stark also gave the committee a separate file of communications between him and Kimmel during 1941.

They disclosed that on February 18 Kimmel wrote that "I feel that a surprise attack (submarine, air, or combined) on Pearl Harbor is a possibility."

Discontent on Labor Front Hits Borough

Discontent on the labor front hit the borough of Warren today noon when employees of the street department left their jobs. According to Carter Rowland, chairman of the street committee, the issue that caused the walkout is that of pay for overtime. Mr. Rowland stated that a meeting had been called with Borough Solicitor S. D. Blackman at four o'clock this afternoon. It was predicted around the municipal building that the difficulty would be adjusted so that the men would be back on the job on Wednesday. In the meantime a fine snow has been falling all day making the streets as slippery as they have been all season. With no cinders in sight it behooves motorists to drive with utmost care and caution.

From the seat of government.

"He is, as a rule, not informed as to policy, or change of policy, reflected in current events and naval movements and, as a result, is unable to evaluate the possible effect upon his own situation," Kimmel's formal memorandum continued.

"This lack of information is disturbing and tends to create uncertainty, a condition which directly contravenes that singleness of purpose and confidence in one's own course of action so necessary to the conduct of military operations."

SEVERAL THOUSAND people read the classified ads in the Times-Mirror each day.

Young Women Wanted For Telephone Work

No Experience Needed and YOU ARE PAID WHILE YOU LEARN

Bell Tele. Co. offers good positions for girls and women. Good pay, regular pay increases, opportunities for advancement, pleasant surroundings.

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Apply anytime between 8:30 A. M. and 5 P. M. Monday thru Friday, and 8:00 A. M. to noon Saturday.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNA.

Byrnes Plans Fourth Trip In Six Months

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power on the commission, no basic Allied policy for Japan can be adopted without American approval.

The secretary emphasized strongly that no atomic energy secrets were disclosed at Moscow and that none would be until effective safeguards are set up.

Byrnes said the subject of atomic energy was placed on the agenda at Russia's suggestion and that discussions were confined to the British-American proposal for a control commission set up under the United Nations.

"At no time did we discuss any technical or scientific matters, nor were we asked by the Soviet government about the new weapon," he said.

Byrnes said the agreement to hold a general European peace conference before next May 1 was a concession to U. S. insistence that "all states which took an active part in the war should participate in the peace."

Tokyo, Dec. 31—(P)—Sources close to General MacArthur reported today that the Big Three's new control plan for Japan already has caused confusion among the Japanese and may cause the general to lose face in a country where face is all important.

The control plan, which MacArthur bluntly stated had been made over his protest and behind his back, may result in a slackening of Japanese efforts to put in effect directives already issued—and which they had accepted only slowly and grudgingly—the sources said.

Textbooks In Jap Schools Suspended

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cation section, said these courses were so thoroughly loaded with nationalistic teachings that complete renovation is essential. He said the order was intended as "an implementation directive" providing details for previous, general renovation instructions.

The education ministry was instructed to prepare substitute courses and to submit plans for writing new textbooks covering the suspended subjects. These temporary books will be ready for the spring school term.

Confiscated textbooks will be destroyed. Pulp of them will be used for printing new books from which objectionable teachings will be eliminated.

Resumption of Bus Service To Alleviate Travel Problem

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kept idle about 382,000 workers, the New Year holiday brought an increase in the number of automotive industry workers in the Detroit area off the job. While for 230,000 employees in General Motors plants continued their strike, which started November 21, another 200-

FREDRICKSON'S WEDNESDAY SPECIALS BAKED BEANS AND SALADS

New Year's Greetings to All Our Friends and Patrons

NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE at TOWN BARN

Round & Square 50c

9-12

If You Have a Car to Sell Sell It to Us Now!

We will pay you cash or give you credit on a new car later.

The boys who are coming home and have no car need them right now.

B. & E. Chevrolet Co.

413 Penna. Ave., E. Tel. 1444

Keystone Garage of Warren, Inc.

708 Penna. Ave., West

West End Pennzoo Station

Wishes You a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year

Ford Service • Ford Cars and Trucks

Genuine Ford Parts

000 employees of motor companies

were idle today as Ford, Chrysler, Packard and other car firms closed their plants because of shortages of parts.

Ford and Chrysler will resume limited production Wednesday. The many recent work stoppages in the motor industry were reflected in the production figures, with output of 1946 passenger cars about 75,000 at the end of the year compared with a goal of 500,000 which was set several months ago.

Meanwhile, in Detroit, officials of General Motors and the CIO United Auto Workers awaited the government fact-finding board's report on hearings it conducted in Washington. No date has been set for resumption of negotiations on the union's demand for a 30 per cent wage hike.

Jerusalem, Dec. 31—(P)—British troops today sealed off a western section of Jerusalem with armored cars and barbed wire and searched the area for terrorists wanted in last Thursday's outbreak of violence in which ten persons were killed and 11 injured.

Kai-Shek Bids for a Plan to Unify China

(From Page One)
May to consider a new constitution for China.

The only condition set on this arrangement by the Generalissimo was that those other representatives "must not maintain autonomous armies to serve as instruments for forcible seizure of power."

The Communists have been maintaining a separate army in North China and likewise have been holding out for a later meeting of the constitutional assembly claiming that otherwise it would be packed for the Kuomintang national party.

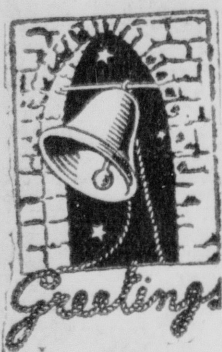
BULLETINS

(From Page One)
London, Dec. 31—(P)—Reuters News Agency said in a dispatch from Nuernberg today that Czechoslovak newspapers had reported the arrest of Martin Bormann, Hitler's deputy party fuhrer. The report was not confirmed immediately.

Pearl Harbor, Dec. 31—(P)—Toll of casualties aboard the

Greetings and Best Wishes to Our Many Friends

There isn't a merchant or public service represented on this page that isn't ready to extend a friendly handclasp in saying "Happy New Year" should you meet before 1946 is with us. But just to make sure they've expressed their sentiments to you in the messages conveyed to you on this page.



When you hear midnight strike out, ringing in 1946, remember that wherever you are our good wishes go with you for a year of contentment.

Betty Lee



We thought of writing a personal greeting to everyone we know—but we'd feel so badly if anyone was overlooked. So here's the way we choose to say "A HAPPY NEW YEAR" to every man, woman and child we can count a friend.

Mohr Printery



The scene is set: the players are ready. The great script of 1946 is ready to be played... and we know it's going to be a hit show with you giving a star performance. You already have our applause.

E. M. Hutchens and Son



Follow our signpost, and 1946 will loom brightly on your horizon with everything to your advantage. What more could we wish you than the best in all things you wish for yourself and everyone of whom you are fond.

Miller Drug Store

All ready to set up business, 1946 has hit town with as fine a line of merchandise as you ever had to select from. So take your choice of good health, a happy home, plenty of friends, and enough of everything for contentment. If we have our way, you'll get them all...

Simonsen Wall Paper & Paint Co.



We certainly hope that your outlook is always bright, and that day and night good fortune will follow you. Can't say we're sorry to see the old year go—and we sure are glad to welcome the new.

Western Auto Associate Store



All the prayers of the past for peace are now answered, and we can go forward with 1946 to a future of good things for all God's children.

Commonwealth Cleaners



We're running and leaping—in a frisky mood—to bring you the greetings of the New Year season. We hope you have a marvelous time celebrating the arrival of 1946.

Gamble Building Corp.



These words are overflowing with our sincere wishes for your future health, happiness and prosperity. New Year's is the time of hope for all and this New Year's particularly fills us with happy anticipation.

Fairchild & Rapp



Make merry on New Year's Eve, and have the time of your life. It's a gala occasion for every one of us, and we've the right to celebrate to the full. Our good wishes go with you for the best of years in 1946.

Warren Sheet Metal Shop



Nineteen forty-five did his job as best he could, so we'll have to bid him farewell. But in saying "howdy" to 1946 we have every reason to be gay.

Keystone Printing Co.



To all our gallant heroes, of whom we are so proud, we extend our sincerest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

B & E Chevrolet Garage

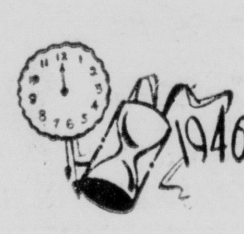
Oh what a wonderful feeling—to be able to say "Happy New Year" once again, with many a reason for merriment in our sincere greetings. We want to thank you for your co-operation as our customer during difficult days, and to pledge ourselves to continued good service.

A. C. Peterson & Son



Dance out the old, dance in the new! 1946 is a-comin' in and it better be good to you! Happy New Year, all year, after you've had all the fun you can ushering it in.

Neal & Co.



Every minute will be a good one for you beginning with 1946. We can't think of a better way to wish you a happy New Year. And if you come into our store within the next few days, we'll be glad to wish you the best—in person.

Danielson-Carter



A gay companion, a sparkling glass, a merry tune: that's the way to "ring in the New Year." We know you'll be doing it, and we'll be with you in spirit.

The Busy Bee



Our voices may not be operating, but we do want to sing our "Happy New Year" at the top of our lungs, with all the best wishes for everyone we count a friend.

Recreation Center



Luck be with you in all your endeavors through the year ahead. We wish you and your family the best of everything.

S. H. Rasmussen Plumbing • Heating



We've said it many times before, and we're saying it again: because it can't be put in better words and the sentiment can't be improved upon. You know what we mean, and we know how sincerely we wish it to you, so here goes: HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Geracimos Co.



There's going to be a big change in your life for 1946—it's going to be for the better. There are great days ahead for all of us if we work together and build together for a future of happy days for all. You can count on us to share in the job—and the fun.

Zerbe's Atlantic Service



In the vibrant red of the poinsettia—traditional flower of the New Year's season—is reflected our bright hope that 1946 carry to you all the precious things you've long wished for. And with a cherrio we repeat that grand old greeting: HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Warren Plumbing & Heating Co.



Everything about the New Year season is traditionally gay. You should be gay. And this first peacetime New Year's you have every cause to go out and be joyous. We hope a year of happiness will follow an eve of revelry.

Olson & Bjers



We hope you have all the things that add up to a "Happy New Year," from the stroke of 12 through every day of 1946. In all you do, you have our good wishes.

Carbon's Gulf Service



We'd like to find the largest bell in the world and strike out our New Year's greetings on it. Because we know how much more gladness there will be for everyone in 1946. Our heartfelt greetings to you and all your family for the new year and every year after it.

The Nut Shop



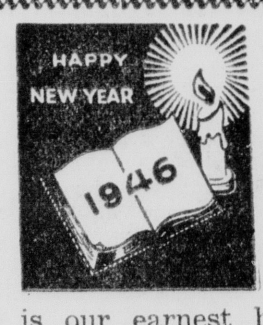
If you were to step across our threshold right now, we'd reach out a hand and say "Happy New Year." But you're there and we're here, so let our greetings live in print!

United Cigar Store



This is a New Year's to begin with those you love best—a time for festivity and gay songs: for good things to eat and drink, for lively music and cheerful surroundings. Start the New Year right and enjoy all 1946!

Gene's Center Service

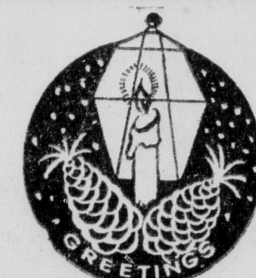


It is our earnest hope that when all the volumes have been written about this decade, history will prove 1946 to have been a turning point toward man's greater happiness and enriched living in every way. GREETINGS!

A & B Appliance Co.

Ding, dong bell: You ring out farewell to 1945, and usher in 1946 with all its promise of the things that make for happier living. We listen to your peals with good cheer and high hopes.

Check Bros. Blue Sunoco



We hope bright lights illumine your way through 1946, and that every step you take is in the direction of happiness and contentment. Happy New Year, everybody!

Reliable Furniture Co.



We hope the New Year proves to be a surprise package for you—with only the best of everything in store for you, your family, your friends and all those you hold near and dear. None but the best for the best of customers—is our wish.

S. Schraybman Beer Distributor



Another day, another year, another New Year's to celebrate and mark as a milestone toward progress and happiness for all. Our fondest wish is for your enjoyment of all good things.

Baker's Cleaners



We'd like to ring the doorbell of every one of our friends, but we'd have to "close up" a couple of days to do it. So we're taking this way of having our New Year wishes reach each and every one!

Texas Lunch



Times Square Service Station

If you think New Year's resolutions are made to be broken—make silly ones worth breaking; but the important ones worth making, are also worth keeping. Our own resolution is—to serve you ever better: and we will!

With a hip, hip, hooray and folderol—we greet the New Year. Plan to have the best of good times, because we never had more reason to celebrate than we have looking forward to 1946 and all the years to follow.

Warren Dry Cleaning Co.



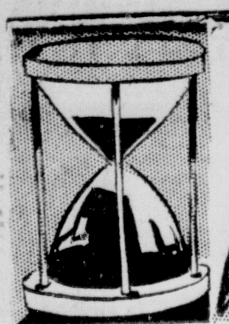
Arcade Bowling Alley

Nineteen-forty-six may still be in swaddling clothes, but it's going to grow up fast and take care of the whole wide world. So give the new year the kind of welcome that it deserves and have a head start on a grand and glorious year.

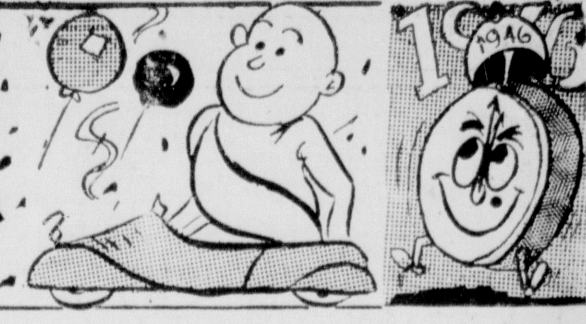
May your house be filled with merriment, good health and good spirit every moment of the New Year. That's the wish we're sending through this message, to every one of our customers—past, present and future.

Riffel's Market St. Texaco Station





HAPPY NEW YEAR



THE WEATHER
Occasional snow and colder today, snow flurries and colder tonight and Tuesday. Warren temp. High 44, low 31. Sunrise 7:34. Sunset 4:42.

WARREN TIMES-MIRROR

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LETTERS SHOW STARK URGED U. S. ENTRY INTO WAR WHEN GERMANY ATTACKED RUSSIA

With Admiral In Witness Chair Investigators Receive Voluminous File of Communications Written to Kimmel in 1941

MEMORANDUM FOR KNOX IS ALSO INCLUDED

Washington, Dec. 31.—(P)—Pearl Harbor investigators learned today that Adm. Harold R. Stark urged American entry into the war when Germany attacked Russia, yet expressed hope that Russia and Germany "may break upon each other."

With Stark in the witness chair, the senate-house committee received a voluminous file of letters the 1941 chief of naval operations wrote to Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Pacific fleet commander, and others.

Many were personal, intimate, chatty—some so much so that Stark suggested the recipients burn them.

The letter concerning Russia was dated July 31, 1941, and was addressed to "Dear Savvy," the nickname of Captain Charles M. Cooke, Jr., then attached to the Pacific fleet. Stark customarily used nicknames—Kimmel was "Dear Mustapha"—in his personal letters. He signed himself "Betty."

BULLETINS

Palermo, Sicily, Dec. 31.—(P)—Bandits using hand grenades, dynamite, rifles and machine guns attacked a police outpost today at Monreale, overpowered and bound three guards after a gun battle and looted the place of arms.

Beyrouth, Syria, Dec. 31.—(P)—Syrian railroad and harbor workers started a general strike today to enforce demands for a 40 per cent wage increase and an eight hour day.

Moscow, Dec. 31.—(P)—Two German generals and a non-commissioned officer were hanged in the public square in Bryansk four hours after a military tribunal found them guilty of the massacre and murder of Russian civilians and Red Army prisoners.

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Month Task Ahead At Camp Reynolds

Greenville, Dec. 31.—(P)—Sufficient repair work is in sight to provide another month's work for the 250 civilian employees at Camp Reynolds, the army said today.

Army equipment is repaired here and shipped to various depots. Also stationed at the camp are 200 soldiers and 496 prisoners of war, the latter being engaged in repairing jungle boots and coats.

Col. M. Crawford, commanding officer, said detailed instructions have been received regarding the scheduled closing of the camp Jan. 10. The colonel expected that after that date, a skeleton force of about 10 officers and 35 to 40 enlisted men would maintain the camp site until the Veterans Administration takes it over in March preparatory to erection of a veterans' hospital.

Earlier, the army expected to close the camp Jan. 8.

New Zealanders Are First To Welcome '46

Wellington, (Tuesday) Jan. 1, 1946.—(7 a. m., Dec. 31, E. S. T.)—(P)—It's 1946 in New Zealand, and already the people of this predominantly Scottish dominion are starting New Year's Day rounds among their friends.

Because of its proximity to the international date line, this is the first nation to usher in the New Year. The summer day dawned with folks preparing to go "first footing" first calling to the homes of friends to drink toasts.

New Postwar Tax Levies Will Become Effective Tomorrow

Washington, Dec. 31.—(P)—The government tomorrow hands the country a \$6,000,000,000 incentive to expand business activity.

The 1946 tax law, providing the first general cut in taxes since 1929, was written deliberately to encourage spending for reconstruction and high peacetime production.

Federal officials expressed confidence today that it would have that effect.

They forecast too that it would bring a modest but noticeable upturn in the flow of civilian goods into the stores, because after mid-night the producers will keep more of their profit from sales, pay less of it to Uncle Sam. This results from repeal of heavy excess profits tax.

Corporations will get a total tax cut of \$3,135,000,000—a sizeable kiddy which the government hopes will be plowed back into the making of more goods and more jobs.

Individuals will benefit by a total of \$2,800,000,000, through cuts ranging from 100 per cent, for some 12,000,000 low income persons to 10 per cent or more for the average taxpayer. This will bolster purchasing power at a time when pay envelopes and salary checks are getting thinner.

The total benefit to taxpayers may be even greater than the official \$6,000,000,000 estimate because of the surprisingly high rate of national income which has been maintained even after the slump in war business.

Occasional Snow To Usher In New Year

Pittsburgh, Dec. 31.—(P)—New Year will be ushered in to western Pennsylvania by occasional snow and some what colder temperatures.

Light snow, moving in from Ohio and Michigan, was forecast through New Year's Day.

Officials asked New Year's Eve celebrators not to use their automobiles on the slippery highways, but to resort to trolley and bus lines operating through the night.

Kai-Shek Bids For a Plan To Unify China

BULLETIN

Chungking, Dec. 31.—(P)—The Chinese central government countered a Communist plan for a truce today by proposing that Gen. George C. Marshall act as arbiter and that a military inspection mission, possibly composed of Americans, serve as impartial observers to see that any armistice was obeyed. The immediate reaction in foreign quarters here was that there was nothing in the government offer which the Communists would validly object and that Gen. Marshall's approval must have been obtained before the suggestion was made for ending the civil conflict.

By SPENCER MOOSA

Chungking, Dec. 31.—(P)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek made an outright bid to rival Chinese Communist forces today to join a government that would unify China.

In a New Year's message to the Chinese people, he announced that the government was ready to invite leaders of other political parties "to take part in the government, either in the policy-making councils or the executive branches."

They would be welcomed into the government, he said, before the national assembly meets next (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Consider Sealing Off Kentucky Mine

BULLETIN

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 31.—(P)—Twenty of the miners entombed last Wednesday by an underground explosion in a coal mine near here today were given up for dead as Harry Thomas, chief engineer of the Kentucky state department of mines and minerals, ordered the main entrance to the pit sealed.

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 31.—(P)—A conference of federal, state and private mine officials early today proposed sealing off the mine near here in which 29 coal miners have been entombed since Wednesday.

Sealing off the mine would halt rescue operations. Veteran miners said hope had been abandoned for the survival of any of the trapped men.

This action would leave only seven survivors out of 31 miners trapped by an underground explosion of unexplained origin in the Kentucky Straight Creek Coal Company's No. 1 mine.

The conference also considered two other possibilities: Drilling a 600-foot shaft to the location of the men, and renewing recovery efforts through the mouth of the mine.

Ex-Governor Earle On Honeymoon

Istanbul, Dec. 30.—(P)—George W. Earle, former governor of Pennsylvania and a retired naval commander, was honeymooning today with his second wife—23-year-old Jacqueline E. Earle, nee Sacre, a tall Belgian beauty.

The former governor—he served from 1935 to 1939 as first democratic chief executive in Pennsylvania for 44 years—was married Saturday in a ceremony witnessed by Turkish dignitaries and members of the U. S. diplomatic corps.

Earle was made minister to Austria in 1932. Following his term as Pennsylvania's governor he became minister to Bulgaria.

It was while he held that post, he said, that he met Miss Sacre. Earle was divorced by his first wife, who recently remarried. He has four children by that marriage.

Earle said he would bring his bride to America as soon as he obtained a visa for her.

The couple was first married in a civil ceremony, then religious rites were read by Dr. Ezra Young, Congregationalist pastor from Pittsburgh, Pa.

Hitler's Last Will Creates Great Furore Among 20 Arch Criminals at Nuernburg

BYRNES PLANS FOURTH TRIP IN SIX MONTHS

Secretary of State Tells Americans Why His Third Journey Contributed to Lasting Peace

U. S. IN TOP ROLE

BULLETIN

Washington, Dec. 31.—(P)—Secretary of State Byrnes called a news conference for 2:30 p. m. today as a follow-up to his radio report to the nation last night on the Moscow conference. William Benton, secretary of state for public affairs, announced the conference to newsmen and said the secretary would discuss primarily the Moscow decisions on the control machinery for Japan as it affects Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Washington, Dec. 31.—(P)—Secretary of State Byrnes prepared today for his fourth trip abroad in six months after telling Americans why he believes his third contributed to lasting peace.

Also in his radio report last night on the Moscow conference of foreign ministers, Byrnes assured the nation that new international machinery set up for control of Japan will not obstruct "the outstanding and efficient administration" of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. It will, he insisted, leave the United States in a top policy-making role.

The cabinet officer ignored a tardily worded statement MacArthur issued in Tokyo earlier in the day in which the supreme commander said he had not been consulted during the Moscow talks and declared: "I have no iota of responsibility for the decisions which were made there."

Speaking from the conference room of the state department, Byrnes described how this country, Russia and Britain agreed on issues involving Japan, atomic energy, peace treaties, China, Korea, Romania and Bulgaria.

He said too he and Foreign Ministers Bevin of Britain and Molotov of Russia almost agreed on a three-power commission to study problems of troubled Iran. He added he was "not discouraged" by the near-miss.

He might have said they will have another opportunity to agree on an Iranian policy in London at the first meeting of the United Nations assembly next month. That will be conference No. 4 for Byrnes in the half-year he has held the top cabinet position.

Of Japan, he said this country from the very beginning had planned to make control of that defeated nation an Allied responsibility. He supported his contentions that the 11-nation policy commission and the four-power control council would neither minimize the U. S. role nor hamstring MacArthur by asserting that.

Because of the big four veto (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Violent Deaths Mount Over The Holidays

By the Associated Press

Victims of accidents over the New Year's weekend totaled at least 269 today, with traffic mishaps accounting for 109 of the deaths.

The traffic toll, however, was below the estimate of the National Safety Council for the period starting at 6 p. m. Friday. The council estimated that between 375 and 400 persons would be killed in traffic accidents during the four day holiday, with the heaviest toll expected last Saturday and tomorrow.

Violent deaths of miscellaneous causes totaled 100 and included shootings, fires, explosions, airplane accidents, drownings and falls.

New York State and Pennsylvania led the states in violent deaths, each reporting 20 over the weekend. The New York total included eight traffic, one in a plane crash and 11 from miscellaneous causes. Pennsylvania's total included 14 traffic fatalities. Illinois followed with 17 violent deaths; Michigan with 16 and California with 15. Twelve states reported no violent deaths over the weekend.

Big Three Ministers in Climactical Meeting



Last meeting of Big Three foreign ministers conference in Spiridonovka Palace at Moscow shows, around the table, left to right, British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin; Sir Alexander Cadogan, permanent undersecretary of foreign office; Sir Ronald Campbell, British assistant secretary of state; H. Freeman Matthews, U. S. state department director of European affairs; Gen. Cohen, U. S. state department adviser, and Secretary of State James F. Byrnes. In center foreground with back to camera are Russian Foreign Commissar Molotov and Vice Commissar Vyshinski.

Closing of War Camps Creates Labor Problem

Harrisburg, Dec. 31.—(P)—Removal of approximately 1,000 prisoners of war from woods work in Pennsylvania will intensify the man-power problem in the lumbering industry, Floran J. Boland, state director of the U. S. Employment Service, said today.

Boland said that five prisoners of war camps will be closed by February 18 and the removal of the prisoners confront Pennsylvania woods operations with a critical replacement problem.

While experienced woods workers are most urgently needed, Boland said, "there are also jobs available for inexperienced men who are in good health and interested in vigorous outdoor work."

Textbooks In Jap Schools Suspended

By RUSSELL BRINES

Tokyo, Dec. 31.—(P)—General MacArthur today ordered the suspension of three Japanese school courses until more effectively for spreading militaristic ultra-nationalism and the confiscation of all textbooks and teachers' manuals used for them.

The order, which affects all schools in Japan, implemented recent abolition of state Shinto. It specified that Japanese history, geography and morals-roughly equivalent to American civics in ethics—will be suspended until headquarters approves their resumption.

Brig. Gen. Ken R. Dyke, head of MacArthur's information and education (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Delegates to UNO Sail on Queen Mary

New York, Dec. 31.—(P)—The British liner Queen Elizabeth sailed for England early today with 1,128 passengers, including four members of the American delegation to the general assembly of the United Nations.

The four were Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, former secretary of state Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., Senator Tom Connally (D-Tex.), chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, and Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich.). Stettinius is a permanent member of the security council with the rank of ambassador.

Alternate delegates among the passengers were Rep. Sol Bloom (D-N.Y.), chairman of the house foreign relations committee; former Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, John Foster Dulles of New York, and former Senator John G. Townsend, of Delaware.

Resumption of Bus Service To Alleviate the Travel Problem

By the Associated Press

Resumption of bus service by two Greyhound lines serving communities in 18 eastern and midwestern states, alleviating the crowded transportation system, was near today as 4,000 employees voted to end their two months old strike.

The strikers, who left their jobs on November 1 in a dispute over wages with the Greyhound Companies, were to begin returning to work on Thursday, said Howard T. Colvin, assistant director of the U. S. Conciliation Service.

He announced the end of the walkout after a two-day conference with company officials and representatives of the AFL-Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric, Railway and Motor Truck Employees of America.

Local operations are scheduled to be resumed within 48 hours after drivers and maintenance men go back to their jobs and longer distance runs are scheduled to be started within 72 hours after their return.

The back-to-work vote by the strikers, however, carried a stipulation, said a union spokesman. He said another strike would be called if the union did not approve a report to be submitted by a fact-finding committee, as proposed by Secretary of Labor Schwelvenbach.

Wages were the principal issues under study by the board. States affected by the stoppage were Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Missouri, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Kentucky, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia.

A delay or cancellation of a scheduled strike Thursday of 50,000 Western Union employees appeared a possibility today as the War Labor Board prepared a recommendation for a 12-cent average hourly wage boost for the workers.

While continuing labor disputes (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Noise, Song and Prayers To Herald Arrival of New Year

By the Associated Press

Noise, song and prayers of thanksgiving will herald the arrival of 1946 tomorrow—the first peaceful New Year's Day for Pennsylvanians since father Time rolled in Baby '41 at the stroke of midnight five years ago.

Toasts in water and toasts in wine—and the shouting and singing of "Auld Lang Syne" will be evident more than ever.

For most, the merry-making will be loud and happy. But in thousands of homes throughout the state a Gold Star hangs in the window. Here, too, there will be rejoicing but it will be somber and majestic—a sense of thankfulness that no more men like theirs will die in foxholes or in sinking ships or in falling planes.

The thousands of churches in the state will hold special services—watch night and communion—and the bells will ring in the new, the peaceful year.

Expedition To Take Azores Was Ordered

Washington, Dec. 31.—(P)—President Roosevelt gave instructions May 22, 1944, that an expedition be ready to sail in 30 days and take the Azores, the Pearl Harbor committee learned today.

It received a letter written by Adm. Harold R. Stark, then chief of naval operations, to Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Pacific fleet commander, on May 24 which said:

"Day before yesterday afternoon the president gave me an order all limit of 30 days to prepare and have ready an expedition to 5,000 men to sail for, and take the Azores."

"Whether or not there would be opposition I do not know but we have to be fully prepared for strenuous opposition. You can visualize the job particularly when I tell you that the Azores recently have been greatly reinforced."

The fact that occupation of the (Turn to Page Thirteen)

DENUNCIATION NO SURPRISE TO GOERING

Ousted Reichmarshal Had Not Suspected Full Extent To Which Himmler Had Slipped In Favor

RIBBENTROP IGNORED

By DANIEL DE LUCE

Nuernberg, Dec. 31.—(P)—Adolf Hitler's last will, calling Hermann Goering and Heinrich Himmler traitors, created furore today among the 20 arch Nazis awaiting in the Nuernberg jail for their trials as war criminals to resume on Wednesday.

The sensational charges, written by the trapped fuhrer in the Berlin chancellery bunker on the eve of his suicide with his mistress bride, Eva Braun, were learned by the prisoners during a busy morning filled with conferences with their lawyers.

To Goering, Hitler's condemnation came as no surprise for the SS and SA had arrested him in Berchtesgaden on April 23 while he was expecting to become the new German fuhrer. The ousted Reichmarshal had not suspected however, the full extent to which Himmler, suicide head of the Gestapo, also had slipped from Hitler's favor.

Virtually all the other prisoners were reported surprised at the language used in the will in actions against the two Nazis, who next to Hitler had wielded the most power.

NO DOUBT

Herford, Germany, Dec. 31.—(P)—The full story of the escape of three messengers from Adolf Hitler's Berlin chancellery with his last testament was told today by a British intelligence officer who said there now was no possible doubt but that the Nazi fuhrer died in his battered bunker.

Exhaustive questioning of all persons known to have witnessed Hitler's last hours who are now in British hands disclosed the full sequence of events which British intelligence now accepts as the true version of Hitler's death, the officer said.

"Altogether from their disloyalty to me, Goering and Himmler have brought irreparable shame on the country and the whole nation by secretly negotiating with the enemy without my knowledge and against my will and also by illegally attempting to seize control of the state."

Arthur Seyss-Inquart, named in the will as Joachim von Ribbentrop's successor as foreign minister, was understood not to have known before of such an appointment. He was reported to have received the tardy word with his usual phlegmatic calm.

Ribbentrop was said to have had whatever disappointment he may have felt at learning the bill ignored him completely. He has described himself as "the last foreign minister of defeated Germany."

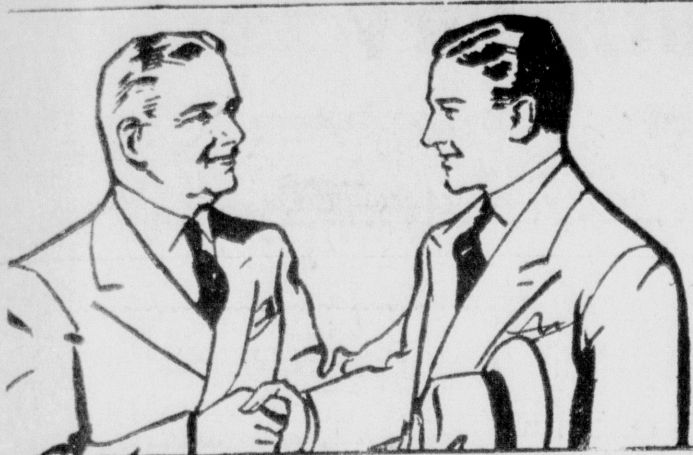
Ernst Kaltenbrunner and Grand Adm. Erich Raeder still were unaware of the will. Kaltenbrunner is under treatment at the U. S. army hospital for cranial hemorrhage which may require another month of convalescence. Raeder, (Turn to Page Thirteen)

Talon Walkout Is Believed Near End

Meadville, Dec. 31.—(P)—Only the formal signing of an agreement, set for Wednesday, remained today to bring an end to a walkout that kept 3,500 workers idle more than two months at plants of Talon, Inc.

Striking AFL-Tool and Die Makers voted approval of a new contract with the company yesterday, union officials announced. The dispute over wage demands started in Meadville, October 24 and later spread to the zipper plant in Erie.

A union statement said the agreement would be formally signed Wednesday, but neither the union nor the company would disclose the terms of the contract. However, it was believed to include an eight-cent-an-hour increase. The workers had originally sought a 10-cent-an-hour raise.



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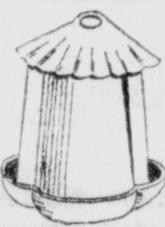


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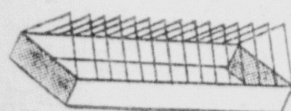
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NEW YEAR'S PARTY

Tonight

Veterans Club

For Members and Their Ladies
No Reservations Noisemakers

First Babe of 1946 Is To Receive Some Rich Rewards

Of course as yet you don't know who will get all the fine things that the Warren merchants are planning to give the first baby born in 1946 but then you can wait, can't you?

As usual a group of Warren merchants are giving some fine gifts to the very first babe that arrives in Warren after the stroke of midnight next Monday. It has been a custom for years for the merchants to remember the tiny mite of humanity and this year some extra fine gifts are being given. But it's all up to the stork to select the winner.

The following gifts have been offered by the following merchants:

Stokes Studio—Six 4 x 6 inch photographs in folders.
Darling Jewelry—Choice of a gold chain and locket or a gold chain and cross.
Blomquist Furniture Store—Bathmat.
Mullen Drug Store—\$2 worth of merchandise.
Berts Childrens Shop—Pink or blue "Baby Bunting".
Browns Boot Shop—Pair of Classmate fine shoes.
Metzger-Wright Co.—Baby bath jar set.
Kresges—Reversible pink and blue rayon bed comforter.
Warren County Dairy Association—\$3 worth of milk tickets.
Pennys—36 x 50 inch satin bound baby blanket.

New Year Welcome Will Be Very Lusty One In Warren

Tonight is the night when a scanty clad young cuss will arrive to give the Old Heave Ho to 1945 and chase the old bay out of the picture. Old Father Time will assist with a lusty swing of his aged scythe and then the clock lets go for the hours of midnight the fresh Kid 1946 will take over.

Warren will miss the screaming of the air raid sirens in the cacophony of sound that will welcome the New Year. Bells and whistles can let go with impunity this year and will make more noise than has been made since Mars unloosed his forces on the world.

Not only the bells and whistles will let go with some jolly old noise for Old Joe Warren and his tribe will unleash some pent up enthusiasm at many and sundry places around the town. During the past few days the parade to the State Store has been under way and judging from the packages, boxes and cases taken away under arms, in bags and boxes the call for cracked ice, aspirin and cold tomato juice tomorrow morning will be long and loud. Not too loud as throbbing brows are allergic to noise. From all indications it's gonna be a whole of a party.

Every club in the area is planning for a Hi Old Time and there will be dances, floor shows, noisemakers, funny hats, etc. and the dark brown taste will grow all around.

However there will still be tried and true burghers who will not indulge in opodeldock and ollogogie but will spend the evening quietly at home with a few friends while in a number of the churches about town watch meetings will be held. Special programs of music and sermons will be held and these promises to be well attended.

Police and State Police are uniting in an appeal to motorists to drive with care so that accidents may be held to a minimum. Roads are not any too safe for speedy driving and they still place telephone poles just beyond the horizon so one and all are appealed to for care when traveling the highways tonight.

For the boys who grow tired and seen to rest along curbs and

steps the city police will have their taxi service in operation and will have special steel spring mattresses on which the celebrators may rest until the fog has lifted.

Hair Stylist Is Welcomed By Local Store

During the past two weeks, the clientele of the Metzger-Wright's Charn Shop has had the pleasure of greeting Alan Aquist, hair stylist and manager of the Charn Shop who has spent the past few months in Los Angeles, California. While there Mr. Aquist did extensive studying in California and Hollywood hair styling and has brought back many new ideas as to the "California Way" which has become so important to the women of the entire country.

Within the last few weeks the personnel of the Charn Shop has been enlarged to include two new beauticians, Miss Helen Thompson and Miss Margaret Crocker. Miss Thompson has but recently been graduated from a School for Beauticians, and passed her Pennsylvania State Board examination with high honors. Miss Crocker comes to the Charn Shop after several years of experience in the Reel Beauty Studio in Warren and the French Beauty Shoppe in Greenville, Pennsylvania. Noted for her Permanent Waving in all the newest methods, and was personally selected from many applicants for the position with the Charn Shop. These with Miss Mary Critelli and Mrs. Helen Saunter who have been with the Charn Shop for some time will make the Metzger-Wright Charn Shop the most efficient and up to the minute Beauty Shop in Warren. The enlargement of the personnel at this time is in line with the enlargement plans, W. H. Wright, president of the Metzger-Wright Company has for the Charn Shop.

Chuck, Mac and Carl

wish you

A Happy and
Prosperous New Year
Warren Gulf Super
Service

Marconi Social Club

Down Town

Fiesta Room Open Tonite

For the benefit of those members who were not able to get reservations at the Outing Club for the New Year's Eve Party, the Fiesta Room will be open tonite
NO COVER—NO MINIMUM—JUST DROP IN
Members and Lady Friends Only

New Year's Eve

at
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CELORON PARK

Dancing 9 to 3

Music By
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Times Topics

GAMES AT EAGLES
All are invited to the series of games to be played at the Eagles at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY
The Eagles' Club is holding a New Year's Eve party tonight for members and their ladies only.

LIBRARY HOURS
The Warren Public Library will close at five o'clock Monday evening and remain closed until Wednesday morning.

HOLIDAY CLOSING
The local postoffice will be closed all day tomorrow, New Year's Day, with no deliveries by either city or rural carriers. Special mail, however, will be delivered as usual.

BOOSTERS CANCEL
Because of many conflicting activities of the holiday season the January meeting of the Warren School Boosters Club, scheduled for tomorrow evening, has been cancelled and the next meeting will be the first Tuesday in February.

TRAIN HELD UP
The west bound train on the Pennsylvania railroad was late in reaching this city Saturday evening having been held up by a small wreck near Kane. One truck of a car was off the rails. Train 980 eastbound was detained via Ocean.

SOCIAL SCIENCE
"The Future of an Aging Population" is the subject chosen by Nelson A. Johnson, of Warren, State Hospital staff, for his address before the January meeting of Social Science Section, Warren Academy of Sciences, at 8 p. m. Saturday, January 5, at the Woman's Club. Hosts for this first meeting of the new year will be J. E. Springer, John H. Stewart, Judge Allison D. Wade, Ralph Wagner, Plue Wendelboe and LeRoy C. Eddy.

CHRISTMAS CHEER
Girl Scout Troop 41-B of First Presbyterian church found a way to add to the Christmas cheer of people who were unfortunate enough to have to spend Christmas away from their own firesides. The girls in the troop decorated Christmas trees at Warren General Hospital and followed through by removing the decorations and packing them on Friday. Seven trees were made bright and gay, including two in the dining room, one in each of the four wards and one in the waiting room. Mrs. Don Taft is leader of Troop 41-B with Mrs. H. K. Ansell and Mrs. Kenneth Middaugh as assistants.

FIESTA ROOM OPENS
Announcement was made this morning that all tables had been reserved at the Marconi Outing Club for the annual New Year's party. Under plans made known in advance no person without a table reservation will be admitted so the club management decided to open the Fiesta Room in the downtown club this evening. There will be no special attractions in the Fiesta room but any who care to meet and dance will be welcome. It is also interesting to note that the floor show to be given this evening at the Outing Club is one of the finest that has been booked into the club this season.

MEXICANS VISIT PLANT
Messrs. Lopez and Andrade of Mexico City concluded an inspection of the modern plastic production facilities of the Warren Plastics Corporation last Thursday. They plan to return to Mexico and conclude negotiations that are being carried on with Cropp Engineering Corporation of this city for an exclusive license under the patents of the local company, and their program includes the high speed production of phenol formaldehyde and urea formaldehyde molder plastic items.

**SERIES of GAMES
EAGLES
HALL
WED. NITE
STARTS 7:30 P. M.
Public Invited**

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• BEEBE BELL •

Singing M. C. Featured at the Don Metz Club for 78 Weeks.
A Beautiful Girl With a Beautiful Voice

DENNIS & ANITA

Ballroom and Adagio Dancing

And by Special Request the Return Engagement of
JOE LEBURER, The Phono Mimic
A Laugh From Start to Finish

There Will Be No Admittance to Club Tonight
Other Than Table Reservations

DANCING TONIGHT FROM 9 TO 2

Father-Son Partnership Is Formed

Announcement was made today that Warren will have a new business firm tomorrow as E. L. Stein and his son, Raymond Stein, have formed a partnership to carry on the business of "Stein's" for years one of the section's leading women's wear stores. The firm name will continue to be Steins.

E. L. Stein is one of the older merchants of the city, having come to Warren in 1907, opening a store on Liberty street. At the time it was one of the most attractive stores to be found in Warren and later when Mr. Stein purchased and remodeled the site now occupied by the store he continued his policy of having a fine home for his business. He has also been one of the leaders in Warren life since locating here and at all times given all possible aid to any movement that would tend to make Warren a better place in which to live.

His son, Raymond Stein, was born in Warren and attended the Warren schools, graduating from the high school here, after which he attended State College where he studied business administration. He has but recently returned to Warren after serving in the U. S. armed forces for 32 months, seeing overseas duty in Africa, Italy and France.

Plans are being made for the enlarging and modernizing of the Stein store as soon as materials are available so that the work planned can be carried out.

The Times-Mirror joins with Warren's residents in wishing success and prosperity to the new firm.

Personal Paragraphs

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers will be sorry to learn that their small son, Stevie, is very ill of flu.

Capt. and Mrs. Byron McKenzie left today for Greensboro, N. C., where the former will receive his next assignment.

Joseph Sitarik, of Irvine, was admitted to Warren General Hospital Friday for surgery after he had injured his nose in a coasting accident. He was discharged on Sunday.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by any other than myself.
Robert Pontious,
Dec. 31, 1945. 12-31-45

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SHEFFIELD

LAST TIME TONIGHT

"SUDAN"

It's a Musical in Technicolor

CARTOON LATEST NEWS

MIDNITE SHOW TONIGHT—

NEW YEAR'S EVE

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Ann Shirley - Ellen Drew

"PAN-AMERICANA"

It's a Gay Musical

CARTOON

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AND A DOG"

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RUSSELL

LEE
BOWMAN

CHARLES
WINNIGER

"SHE WOULDN'T SAY YES"

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THE WASTE LAND"

"RADIO STARS
ON PARADE"

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MORE PLATITUDES THAN PREDICTIONS

Tradition insists that newspapers print year-end reviews and editorials, and time was when the preparing of such pieces was an enjoyable duty. The year's best stories were assembled, weighed and weeded out. Then the writer made his selection with comment which, he hoped, lent some significance to the happenings in one arbitrary division of time.

But it was no use. It was clear that everyone realized we had just passed through one of the most eventful years in history. Everybody could name the historic landmarks. Everybody could and, if not beaten to it, did say that "the dawn of 1946 finds the world standing on the threshold of the atomic age."

So it seemed there was nothing new to say about 1945. What about the New Year, then? We might have sought to join the intrepid little band of journalists and deep thinkers who annually go out on a limb with predictions of what the next 12 months will bring. But we kept thinking how unimpressive their batting averages always look at the end of the season.

Perhaps, then, it would be safer to let the curbstone chroniclers of current history make their own guesses on what the future holds in store. Why not seek out that Man in the Street who is always being interviewed anyway, and put him to work once more?

A random sampling of opinion confirmed the suspicion that the peace of 1945 had left the Man in the Street with a pessimistic hangover. We were assured that government control is ruining business, that big business is leading on down the road to another depression, that labor is driving us toward inflation and, unless quickly curbed, will take over everything and socialize (or communize) the country.

The only encouraging aspect of all this was that the nearer one gets to the head of government, the less pessimism one finds. President Truman and Secretary Byrnes (whom we didn't interview) seem a lot less dispirited than the Man in the Street. Maybe they're kidding themselves, or us, but at least they do seem a trifle cheerful.

"Since our most fateful decisions will be made by Mr. Truman and Mr. Byrnes, Mr. Atlee and Mr. Bevin, Mr. Stalin and Mr. Molotov, plus a handful of others anyway, however much we talk about democracy, there may be some hope to be gained from their cheerfulness. There may even be some cheer to be gained from the gloomy but realistic attitude of the Man in the Street.

That attitude seems to say, "We don't think you've performed any miracles, gentlemen, in bringing order out of postwar chaos. We don't expect many miracles from you in 1946. We can fight and win wars for you, but we're excluded from your secret diplomacy. If you do a good job expect more silent surprise than wild applause. All the same, gentlemen, we know you have a hard job. Try, and try hard, to do it well. We'll do all we can to help, and we'll pray for you—and for ourselves."

NOT ROUTINE—YET

Bill Brown, let us say, has borrowed some money from Joe Smith and has agreed, in the course of time, to repay the principal plus a modest interest charge. And Joe Smith has hopes, at least, according to neighbor hood gossip, that he will take in more money than he spends next year.

These are everyday occurrences which, quite naturally, never find their way into the papers. But change Bill Brown to Great Britain and Joe Smith to the United States of America and you've got top news stories.

Right now those stories make pretty interesting reading. But we cherish a hope that the day may come when such news stories become routine it seems to be buried decently in the financial pages, and when the govern of, by, and for the people can be run in a manner consistent with the people's everyday understanding.

Dr. M. Hindhede, Copenhagen, Denmark, says: "The potato is not only an excellent food, but it is a remedy. It dissolves uric acid as well as chalk, and is therefore, able to cure different forms of gout and rheumatism." Dr. Kellogg also says: "The potato is an immense food remedy in the treatment of a large number of diseases. Among which are biliousness, constipation, rheumatism and gout."

Tire rationing is off, but many Warrenites are learning that the line that forms at the right will be left.

Take it easy tonight and you'll have a better time tomorrow!

Happy New Year! See you Wednesday!

"Sorry I Couldn't Clean Everything Up, Bub"



YEARS AGO IN WARREN

Interesting Items Taken From The Warren Evening Times

1925

Work has been completed by H. Rosen, local electrical contractor, of installing the wiring and fixtures of the new greenhouse at Youngville owned by H. Schilmer.

Twenty anti-snow shovelers were arrested and ordered to report to the justice of the peace for failing to keep their sidewalks clean. The accused will be fined \$3.50 apiece.

Through the agency of the Wald, Rogers and Company, the claim made by the Metzger-Wright Company for its burglary loss has been settled by the Travelers' Insurance Company.

Warren Kiwanians met at the Conewango Club to install its new officers. Byron Knapp led the new group of officers, being the newly-elected head.

1935

Due to the low number of cases being handled by the local relief board the staff here has been reduced from 15 to 4 workers, which includes three investigators and one clerk.

Tom Meneo, A. Guiffre, Ross Bevevino, Frank Williams, and Frank Bonavita were re-elected as the board of directors for the Marconi Club for the coming year.

"Riding Into The Moon," an orchestration by Sheridan Baker, local orchestra leader, is being prepared by "Stub" Gordon, and it will be played by Gordon's orchestra over WTAM, Cleveland.

Bill Williams, six foot, six inch center of Sharon, has been signed by Manager Gerry Archibald on the Erie Oilers team. Archibald also stated that "K" Maury would return to the local unit.

It is estimated that there are 752,000 school teachers in the United States.

A meat professor in Virginia has a 35-year-old cured ham, which he values at \$5000.

RADIO PROGRAMS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31

Eastern Standard Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CST, 2 Hours for MST. Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

5:45—Front Page Serial—abc
Sparrow and Hawk Serial—abc
Tennessee and Kentucky Serial—abc
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other
Tom Mix, a Serial Series—mbs-bas
6:00—News Report—mbs-bas
Quincy Howe and News Period—cbs
Walter Klerman and News—abc-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc-west
Howe's Answers, Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—Melody Sketches & Sports—nbc
Jimmy Carroll Songs, Orchestra—cbs
Repeat From Dick Tracy—abc-west
Serial Superman Repeat—mbs-west
6:30—Eileen Farrell Song Show—cbs
Repeat of Jack Armstrong—abc-west
Capt. Midnight's Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas and News—cbs
World News and Commentary—cbs
Charlie Chan Adventures—abc-bas
Tennessee Jed, in Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix, Serial Repeat—mbs-bas
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-bas
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—cbs
News Commentary & Overseas—cbs
Fulton Lewis, Jr., & Comment—mbs
7:15—News and Comment of World—nbc
Talent Show—cbs
Lionel Lincoln and Comment—abc
Dance Music Orch. (15 Mins.)—mbs
7:30—Songs From Broadway—nbc
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show—cbs-bas
Dancing Music Hall Hour—other cbs
Lone Ranger Drama—abc
Frank Sinatra News—mbs-bas
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
Inside of Sports—cbs
8:00—America Cavalcade Drama—nbc
Vox Pop by Parks and Warren—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—abc
Bulldog Drummond Adventures—mbs
8:15—Hedra Hopper's Hollywood—abc
8:30—Howard Stern Concert—nbc
Joan Davis & Comedy Variety—cbs
Pacifica Serenade With Music—abc
Sherlock Holmes—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News—cbs
9:00—Voices Concert & Guest—nbc
Radio Theater From Hollywood—cbs
Rex Maunin and His Orchestra—abc
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Stories, Drama—mbs
9:30—Information Please, a Quiz—nbc
Swinging on the Golden Gate—abc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orchestras—mbs
9:45—Five Minutes News—cbs
10:00—Contented Concert Orchestras—nbc
Screen Guild Players and Guest—cbs
Preview of Sugar Bowl Game—nbc
To Be Announced (30 Mins.)—mbs
10:15—Cliff Uklele, Joe Edwards—abc
10:30—Doc I. Q. in Quiz Series—nbc
Crime Photograph, Dramatic—cbs-bas
Bob Hawk's Quiz Repeat—other cbs
Housler Hon in a Barn Dance—abc
Detect a Tune, Vincent Lopez—mbs
11:00—News, New Year's Eve Dance—all nets.

WARRENITES PICTURED

In the current issue of the Bell Telephone News there appears pictures of two Warrenites. In one picture Capt. Phil Campbell, of the Warren Bell plant, appears with a Filipino mess boy. The other Warrenite pictured is Lt. Phillip T. Benner who with two comrades pictured made a trip over occupied Germany in a big fighter plane.

1945—YEAR OF RETRIBUTION —By NEA— No. 1: Reverse for Rundstedt



By NEA Service

THIS was the year in which the Allied forces picked themselves up off the floor and delivered the prize-winning haymaker to the chin of the Axis. These pictures taken only a year ago in a world of blood, death and cold—in the Battle of the Bulge—seem remote to a reconquering world, hell bent on production for peace worried about atomic energy, housing, inflation and when it can get a new automobile.



The year began with a booming of Long Toms and howitzers as Lt. Gen. Courtney Hodges hurled his First Army upon the northern flank of Rundstedt's Bulge. From the south, Lt. Gen. George Patton's Third Army battled up through Bastogne, held against overwhelming forces by the aid of air-dropped supplies. Doughfoot munched a treacher-



ous, snow-filled winter wilderness battling stubborn German defenses, taking severe losses. Winter, as well as Nazi bullets, took its toll. Frostdite and trenchfoot cut down the ranks of fighting Yanks. Like the two GIs above they warmed their numbed hands and feet and inched toward a remote victory. As the advance lapped back over the battlefields of December, grim souvenirs were uncovered in the snow. In one Bel-



gian meadow lay the bodies of more than 100 Americans taken prisoner and slaughtered by the Germans. The GI proved he could take it in that battle. He proved he could take it in the midriff and come back fighting. He never gave the Germans a chance to dig in. He just kept coming on at them until it was over.

Tomorrow: Air Assault on Germany.

Wrightly or wrongly

A COMMONPLACE BOOK

The season of New Year's celebration being upon us, we must make a confession. We have always maintained that no New Year's party could ever be complete unless it included the reading, with due solemnity and sense of ritual, of Charles Lamb's essay, "New Year's Eve." Some of our convivial friends do not share our conviction, as we discovered by one doleful experiment in—let's see—it must have been 1941. Nevertheless we feel moved to reprint here as much of it as the brief compass of the Commonplace Book will permit. So, even if the result must be a trifle fragmentary, here goes:

"Of all sound of all bells—(bells, the music highest bordering upon heaven)—most solemn and touching is the peal which rings out the Old Year. I never hear it without a gathering-up of my mind to a concentration of all the images that have been diffused over the past twelvemonth; all I have done or suffered, performed or neglected—in that regretted time. It takes a personal color; nor was it a poetical flight in a contemporary, when he exclaimed

I saw the skirts of the departing year.

"I am naturally, beforehand, shy of novelties; new books, new faces, new years—from some mental twist which makes it difficult in me to face the prospective. I have almost ceased to hope; and am sanguine only in the prospects of other (former) years. I plunge into foregone visions and conclusions. I encounter pell-mell with past disappointments. I am armour-proof against old discouragements. I forgive, or overcome in fancy, old adversaries. I play over again for love, as the gamblers phrase it, games, for which I once paid so dear. In a degree beneath manhood, it is my infirmity to look back upon those early days. Do I advance a paradox, when I say, that, skipping over the intervention of forty years, a man may have leave to love himself, without the imputation of self-love?

"Not childhood alone, but the young man still thirty, never feels practically that he is mortal. He knows it, indeed, and, if need were, he could preach a homily on the fragility of life; but he brings it not home to himself, any more than in a hot June we can appropriate to our imagination the freezing days of December. But now, shall I confess a truth?—I feel these audits but too powerfully. I begin to count the probabilities of my duration, and to grudge at the expenditure of moments, like miser's farthings. In proportion as the years both lessen and shorten, I set more count upon their periods, and would fain lay my ineffectual finger upon the spoke of the great wheel.

"I am not content to pass away like a weaver's shuttle. Those metaphors solace me not, nor sweeten the unpalatable draught of mortality. I care not to be carried with the tide, that smoothly bears human life to eternity; and reluctant at the inevitable course of destiny. I am in love with this green earth; the face of town and country; the unspeakable rural solitudes, and the sweet security of streets. I would set up my tabernacle here. I am content to stand still at the age to which I am arrived; I, and my friends; to be no younger, no richer, no handsomer. I do not want to be weaned by age; or drop, like mellow fruit, as they say, into the grave. Any alteration on this earth of mine, in diet or in lodgings, puzzles and discomposes me. My household gods plant a terrible fixed foot, and are not rooted up without blood. They do not willingly seek Lavinian shores. A new state of being staggers me.

"Sun, and sky, and breeze, and solitary walks, and summer holidays, and the greenness of fields, and the delicious juices of meats and fishes, and society, and the cheerful glass, and candle-light, and fireside conversations, and innocent vanities, and jests, and irony itself—do these things go out with life? Can a ghost laugh, or shake his gaunt sides, when you are pleasant with him? And you, my midnight darlings, my Folios! must I part with the intense delight of having you in my embraces? Must knowledge come to me, if at all, by some awkward experiment of intuition, and no longer by the familiar process of reading? Shall I enjoy friendships there, wanting the smiling indications which point me to them here,—the recognisable face, the 'sweet assurance of a look'?"

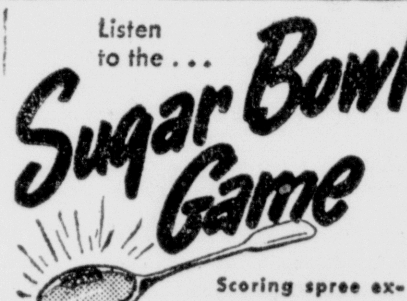
BIRTHDAYS

TOMORROW'S BIRTHDAYS

Marie Acks
Mrs. Phillip Ackley
Albert Allen
Mrs. Grace Bradway
Water Strong
Leonard K. Mowbray, Jr.
Edward Lauffenberger
Jean Esther Davis
Mrs. Ruth Willey
Mrs. Ida N. Taylor
John E. Gruninger
Margaret Duckett
John Robertson
Mrs. Carl Danielson
Mrs. Louise Crippen
Mrs. Emil Henry
Edna Simpson
Jane Louise Hill
John Henry Timmis
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JANUARY

Yanks Cross Their Fingers And Hit Back in the Bulge

AFTER the Nazis attacked in the Battle of the Bulge in December, Americans crossed their fingers and hoped: Well, maybe Hitler will get his this year. But they weren't too sure. Patton drove into the Nazi flank in Belgium, and Clare Boothe Luce got home from Europe at 4 o'clock in the morning. Hitler spoke. Germany won't surrender, he said. Headline: "MEAT SUPPLY GONE WITH THE OLD YEAR." There were 11,900,000 men and women in the U. S. armed forces. France formally joined the United Nations, the Luftwaffe lost 241 planes in one day, and a Japanese balloon fell in Oregon. In New York a plainclothesman bet on a horse, won, but instead of collecting arrested the bookie.

The Army was giving orders, and not by mail, at Montgomery Ward. Paris had no flour, Italy was without blankets. "The Hasty Heart" opened on Broadway. Dogs began following Illinois automobiles; when the cars stopped, the dogs ate the license plates. They were made of soy beans.

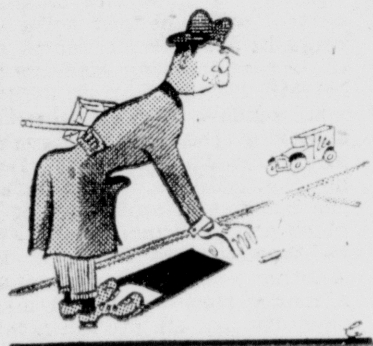
Penicillin was administered to a pneumonia-stricken Guernsey bull. In Greece the British and the ELAS signed a truce, in Belgium the Bulge collapsed, and in America President Roosevelt was inaugurated again. He had hardly taken his hand off the Bible before his son Elliott's bull mastiff bumped three service men from an Army plane. The Russians were 73 miles from Berlin.

FEBRUARY

Marines Storm Iwo Jima; At-Homers Prowl for Smokes

EAST of Chicago it was the coldest winter in 25 years. Fala's bride, on their honeymoon, bit him and he was veterinarianized. A few thousand troubled GIs were AWOL in Europe. The dry crusader, "Pussyfoot" Johnson, died. Yanks entered Manila and the joyous Filipinos broke open a brewery for them. Berlin heard guns.

The Big Three met at Yalta. The groundhog came out, but, considering the meat shortage, went back in. The first authorized revision of the Bible went to the publisher; the first German jet fighters attacked U. S. bombers. The Solid Fuels Administration, touched, got five tons of coal through to a New England sculptor; his wax models were about to freeze. Elliott Roosevelt became a Brigadier General. Eight thousand Allied planes hit Germany, twelve hundred from U. S. carriers visited Tokyo. Bataan was recaptured. "I've got more land than will power," said a Florida real estate agent in trading a 50-by-



100-foot lot for 15 cartons of cigarettes.

Fighting began on Iwo Jima. Sixty-eight nurses liberated in the Philippines drew an average of \$6,500 back pay; Gloria Vanderbilt, however, came of age and got \$4,500,000. The U. S. slapped a midnight curfew on all amusements places. After five weeks, 14,000 miles, and a conference with Churchill and Stalin, President Roosevelt returned to the White House.

MARCH

Cologne Falls; Detroit Strikes; Frankie Kept 4-F for Draft

A CHILD was born in occupied Germany: Franklin Delano Ludwig. Gunder Haegg arrived in America, at a walk. On behalf of his miners John L. Lewis asked soft coal operators for a royalty of 10 cents a ton. As the 9th Army reached the Rhine, Gen. MacArthur hoisted the American flag on Corregidor and ten Detroit planes were closed by strikes.

Aubrey Williams as head of the REA? No, said a Senate committee. Something new: the Act of Chapultepec. Henry Wallace became Secretary of Commerce; Secretary Perkins' daughter became single in Reno. Ed Flynn was shivering in Russia. The Marines advanced inch by inch on Iwo. Gertrude is a rose is a Stein is a published is a book, "Wars I have Seen." The Ohio was in flood.

Sinatra's draft board held its ground, kept Frank in 4-F. Cologne fell. Sales were brisk in mechanical cigarette rollers. At last cognac and perfume were on the way from France. Fraternization raised its controversial head. Before the Germans could blow it up, the Yanks captured the Rhine's Remagen bridge. Easter clothing ads appeared.

Red Skelton married a former model, but kept his earlier wife as manager. Jelly bombs, made from a new U. S. recipe, were dropped on Tokyo. The end began on Iwo. Crosby and Bergman won Oscars. Commando Kelly was married, the Duke of Windsor quit the Bahamas, and Lloyd George died of the flu. In Chicago a collie going blind got a dachshund for a seeing eye.

Final Marine payment on Iwo: 4,189 dead, 15,308 wounded, 441 missing. The prosecutor found six packs and the defense attorney personally donated cigars when a murder trial jury asked for cigarettes. Headline: "SCHIAPELLI EMPHASIZES COLOR IN FASHIONS." Argentina hem-hawed, then declared war on the Axis.

APRIL

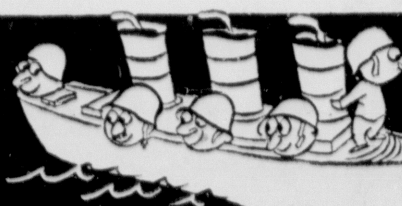
FDR Dies at Warm Springs; Yanks, Reds Meet at the Elbe

SUNDAY was April Fool's Day and landing day on Okinawa. Vince DiMaggio, without moving, went from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia. Book of the Month: the seed catalogue. To the Fashion Group luncheon in Washington, Mrs. Roosevelt wore a five-year-old dress. Russia called it quits with the Japanese. Critics named "The Glass Menagerie" the season's best play. How Yanks captured six German villages: "We just phoned the burgermeister and told him we were coming." The race was on across the Reich.

"I have a terrific headache," said President Roosevelt, 63, and died at Warm Springs, Ga. South of Bologna a U. S. Liberator crew dropped all its bombs and then tossed out a kitchen sink. The Truman family of Washington, D. C., moved out of their five-room apartment. Redeployment from Europe to the Pacific began. Deems Taylor was married. Major Bowes retired. A Los Angeles jury declared Charlie Chaplin was a father. Ernie Pyle was killed.

Book: "American Guerrilla in the Philippines." Nuernberg fell. Gloria Vanderbilt divorced Pat DiCicco, and married Leopold Stokowski. Forty-six nations met, peacefully, in San Francisco. Petain surrendered for trial.

Goering was kicked out of the Luftwaffe, but that was nothing; Italian partisans hung the dead Mussolini by his heels on a filling station. News: photographs of horribly emaciated prisoners of the Germans. There were toasts as U. S. and Russian armies joined.



MAY

End of Fuehrer and One War; Attlee Takes Over in Britain; Truman Shifts Cabinet

NEW brands of "cigarettes," inspired by the shortage, were cropping up like the flowers of spring. Hitler was dead—the Nazis said. "I had a good time," said 100-year-old William S. Clark after a four-week tour of New York, solo. Mussolini, the blood scrubbed off his face, was buried in a pauper's grave. The war ended in Europe.

As a Philadelphia woman knelt in church to pray for her son's return from the Pacific he stepped up and touched her shoulder. "Harvey" won the Pulitzer prize. Display lighting came on again, but a quick check showed no Blue Birds over the White Cliffs of Dover. In Omaha, it snowed. All that was in Hitler's safe were 12 copies of "Mein Kampf." Lend lease for Russia was suspended.

The Wac had his third birthday. Sunny headlines: "200,000 NEW AUTOS FOR PASSENGER USE EXPECTED BY JAN. 1. . . CIGARETTE SUPPLY TO INCREASE SOON." Ley and Goering were captured. Seared and crippled, the carrier Franklin sailed 12,000 miles home under her own power, a third of her crew lost or injured. Fritz Kuhn got the gate from the state department. North-south freight rates were readjusted. Lauren Bacall and Humphrey Bogart became he-man and wife. Horse racing resumed. A mother asked a Connecticut ration board for enough points to get her son out of the Army.

A New York Jew captured Julius Streicher. Cabinet footnotes: Out—Biddle, Perkins, Wickard; In—Clark, Schwellenbach, Anderson. Churchill resigned to force a general election, and Heinrich Himmler, a prisoner, killed himself with poison. Harry Hopkins talked an hour and a half with Stalin. Lord Haw Haw was seized in Germany. Truman and Hoover talked about food, but Hoover left the White House before lunch. Violence flared in the Middle East. A balloon bomb killed six inquisitive people in Oregon.

JUNE

Going Gets Grim on Okinawa As Nation Peeks at New Cars

PEACE, the new Ford went on display! Esquire Magazine won back its second-class mailing privileges. Varga girls and all. The four Allies formally took over control of Germany. Hoop Jr. won the Kentucky Derby. When a Negro GI in Australia sent home \$38,000 after a crap game, the U. S. Treasury faded him for \$18,000, and won.

Was Hitler in Spain? Don't be silly, said the Spaniards. Laborite Bevan, in the House of Commons, called Lady Astor an Old Gas Bag; "Oh, dear!" she replied. The OWI got its funds cut two thirds. An Army officer, a Wac and a sergeant survived a plane crash in remotest New Guinea, but couldn't get out. Fred Allen turned up in a movie after four unfiled years. The house passed the anti-polit tax bill.

Three were acquitted and twelve sentenced to prison of 15 Poles accused by Russia of subversive activity behind the lines. Four hundred GIs' Australian wives sailed for their new home from Melbourne; 14,526, the largest single contingent of soldiers home from Europe, docked in New York. Four hundred soldiers drove trucks during a Chicago drivers' strike.

The Big Three planned to meet at Berlin. Ferruccio Parri became premier of Italy, and Lt. Gen. Buckner was killed on Okinawa. A New York bank teller accused of embezzling \$17,375 said he did it to meet his income tax payment. Strikes had doubled since V-E Day, but reduced military needs made the meat situation considerably rosier. President Truman closed the United Nations Conference. Most popular subject for magazine articles: Russia.

The Germans were discovered to have planned a platform 5,100 miles above the earth from which, after 50 or 100 years' work, they could harness the sun to demolish nations. A glider picked up on the fly brought the Wac corporal and two Army airmen out of their six weeks' Shangri-La in New Guinea. Price control was extended another year. A Cleveland blind man was convicted of robbing a deaf man after a deaf-mute testified in writing that he saw him do it.



JULY

Attlee Takes Over in Britain; Shortages Spread to Soap

MAYOR LaGuardia read The Comics over the air—with gestures. Harry Hopkins resigned and Tom Paine's citizenship was restored at New Rochelle, N. Y. The Treasury began investigating Elliott Roosevelt's loans. Barbara Hutton sued Cary Grant for divorce. The FEPC was extended a year, the labor shortage had New York hotel guests making their own beds, and Leopold said he wouldn't return to Belgium. Soap got scarcer and scarcer.

Ovetta Culp Hobby resigned as director of the Wac. How many chicks were hatched the first six months of 1945? 1,272,376,000! The fraternization ban was lifted in Germany. The Big Three conferred at Potsdam. Truman played Beethoven's "Minuet in G" for Stalin and Churchill. In pre-election Britain, the crowd cheered, Churchill saluted, then turned red—the cheers were for Attlee. Marshal Petain went on trial for treason in Paris.

Labor won a landslide victory in England; the cheers were for Attlee! Novelist Charles G. Norris, husband of novelist Kathleen, died. The Senate ratified the United Nations charter, 89 to 2 (both Republicans). The weather in New York was miserably damp and the Communists in America turned Earl Browder out into the cold, capitalistic world.

AUGUST

Enter the Atom, Then Russia: Japan Hops to Peace

A JET plane loafed the 544 miles from Dayton to New York in 62 minutes. Chicago was leading the National League, Detroit the American. Stock in the Bank of England fell off another seven points. The Senate adjourned. Col. James Roosevelt lost his plane seat to a civilian with a higher priority. The atomic age was announced with a bomb dropped on Hiroshima.

Clare Boothe Luce appeared in Shaw's "Candida" in Stamford, Conn., and Russia declared war on Japan. Maj. Richard Bong was killed in a jet plane crash. The flying boat Hawaii Mars sank in Chesapeake Bay. Everybody sat tight, waiting for codes to go from Tokyo to Switzerland to Washington. Then it was announced: Japan would surrender. The Puerto Ricans sent a box of earth for Franklin Roosevelt's grave. Petain was sentenced to die, but that was later commuted to life. "I'm glad Harry decided to end the war," said the President's 93-year-old mother.

Gas rationing ended, demobilization began, and the WPB took a deep breath and cancelled 210 controls. In north China government and communist troops bared their teeth and came to blows. Quisling took the witness stand: "I saved Norway," he said; the objection was sustained. MacArthur set up shop in Yokohama; 24 Nazis were indicted for war crimes. A 12-year-old Newark boy was out playing football when informed his apron had won a contest over the needlework of 250 girls. A Wisconsin farmer claimed he had grown pre-salted celery, and opera star Rise Stevens paid the first \$10,000 annual premium to insure her million-dollar voice.

SEPTEMBER

It's Made Official on the 'Mo'; Pearl Harbor's Ghost Is Back

THE peace that was to be dictated in the White House came to Japan on the battleship Missouri in Tokyo Bay. "Forever Amber" was published in London, where the Evening Standard reviewer said: "I gave up on page 272, by which time Amber had reached her eighth man." The American flag went up on Wake Island; Wainwright took the surrender of Yamashita's remnant army in the Philippines.

The hay fever was terrible. Congress reconvened. The Chiang

were reunited after 14 months apart. Quisling wept. Harry Hopkins got the DSM. The Russians beat the Americans in a radio chess tournament. The Senate voted for a Pearl Harbor inquiry and President Truman said, in effect, O.K. The word "war" came off U. S. Savings Bonds and cheese rationing ended.

For the first time in six years or more no war communique was issued anywhere in the world. Berlin's remaining 400 Jews celebrated Rosh Hashanah. The U. S. gave Fritz Kuhn a ticket back to Germany, although he had not asked for one. The Army cancelled its cigarette orders. Quisling received the death sentence. A "plaster" Madonna and Child at Vassar turned out to be a valuable French original 500 years old. Tojo tried suicide. General Pershing turned 86. It was not Hirohito's white one, but Admiral Halsey rode a horse in Tokyo. Third-quarter income tax payments came due.

The government allowed John Hartford an income tax deduction of \$196,000 lost in a \$200,000 loan to Elliott Roosevelt. Shirley Temple was on her honeymoon about the time it became World War II, officially, by presidential approval. The London session of the Council of Foreign Ministers drew morosely to a close. A major in the U. S. Army changed his name to Harrison; it had been Adolf Hitler. Henry Ford II, 28, became president of the company. Hirohito called on MacArthur and found him in. Clocks were turned back an hour. In the United States there were 1,600,000 idle in labor disputes.

OCTOBER

Detroit Tigers Win Series; Russia Signs the UNO Charter

A T HIS own treason trial Pierre Laval was ordered from court. Eleven thousand one hundred and forty-five Canadians were AWOL. As the Globester flew around the world in 150 hours Indonesian Nationals were taking over a few cities. Airplanes went on sale in New York department stores. General Patton became head of the 15th Army, which has no tanks. Color pictures were televised successfully. A Jersey City draft board accepted six veterans' invitation to dinner; the draft men had C and K rations, the ex-GIs had spaghetti and steaks.

The D.A.R. refused to let Hazel Scott play the piano in Constitution Hall. The Detroit Tigers won the World Series; Notre Dame used 50 men in beating Dartmouth 34 to 0. Laval was shot. Admiral Halsey's team, which also won a world series, came home. In the Pacific men with few points were replacing women with many. Stettinius, ill with gallstone trouble, flew home from London, and there was a hunger march in Tokyo. Control of Montgomery Ward passed from the Army back to the company.

A wife beater in Maryland and a housebreaker in Colorado were lashed for punishment.

The Georgia Ku Klux Klan, "fighting communism," burned a cross. Organized baseball got its first Negro player: shortstop Jack Roosevelt Robinson. Montreal of the International League, Russia signed the United Nations charter, making it effective, a German invented a device to turn rubble into building bricks, and Quisling was shot.

Both houses agreed to cut 1946 taxes \$5,920,000. Football attendance was up 17.1 per cent over October of 1944. The British fought the Indonesians on Java; civil war was spreading in north China. President Medina of Venezuela was revolutionized out, and President Vargas of Brazil resigned. Shoe rationing ended.

NOVEMBER

Fights Break Out All Over; Give Atom Bomb To Russia?

WAS it a short-lived peace? Indonesians rebelled in Java, Nationalists and Reds battled in China, riots broke out in Palestine, Cairo, the Balkans. London scientists played with alloxazine, a chemical, and produced rats colored orange and sky blue. Commando Kelly, the Congressional medal winner, was reconverted in his own filling station at Pittsburgh. Winston Churchill admitted a life-long secret ambition: to play the kettle drums.

Generals and admirals argued whether to merge the Army and Navy. Everybody's question: Should Russia get the atom secret? Attlee and Truman met in Washington, decided to turn atomic data over eventually to UNO. Cordell Hull won the Nobel prize, then appeared before the Congressional committee digging for the story of Pearl Harbor. Shanghai trolley workers won a strike and got a raise of \$15,000 a month—in inflated Chinese money. Going out: Gen. George C. Marshall as Army Chief of Staff, Adm. Ernest J. King, as Chief of Naval Operations. Going in: Ike Eisenhower, Adm. Chester Nimitz. New York elected a new mayor: Murder-Buster Bill O'Dwyer.

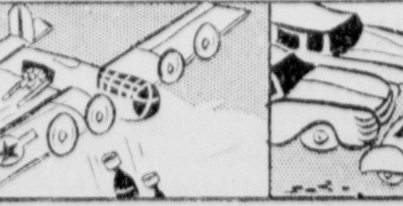
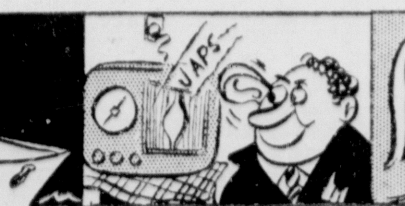
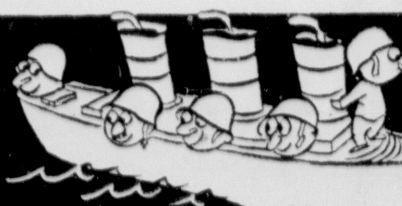
The Big Four lined up against Nazi war criminals at Nuernberg. Maj. Gen. Patrick Hurley let loose at U. S. "career diplomats" in the far east and quit as ambassador to China. His successor: Gen. Marshall. Episcopal Bishop Manning divorced Elliott Roosevelt from his newly appointed post as vestryman of St. James Church at Hyde Park. All food rationing ended—except for sugar—and the CIO Auto Workers walked out of General Motors with demands for a 30 per cent raise. Separatists rose up in Iran, and Yugoslavs proclaimed a federal republic. You can't do that to me, hoped King Peter. The Roosevelt dog Blaze was bumped off after attacking the Roosevelt dog Fala.

DECEMBER

Truman Offers Labor Code And 'The Hat' Takes the Air

"WE ARE at war," said R. J. Thomas, international president of the United Automobile Workers who were picketing General Motors. Japanese General Tomoyuki Yamashita lost an appeal to appear before the U. S. Supreme Court in Washington, and the tamed "Tiger of Malaya" got sentenced to death by hanging. The whole country could look forward to news out of the Hat: New York's retiring Mayor LaGuardia signed to broadcast his comments coast to coast. Army's steamrolling football team ended its undefeated season with a victory over Navy.

Truman drew some boos and some cheers from both sides when he proposed a law forbidding crucial strikes until impartial fact-finders had a chance to make recommendations. The Pearl Harbor inquiry spilled all—or almost all—about how America's code-breakers worked before Pearl Harbor. The U. S. talked of a \$4,400,000,000 loan for Britain, at two per cent interest, and the \$11,000,000,000 Victory Loan drive went over the top. Gen. George S. Patton's neck was broken in an automobile accident in Germany, and 1,190 soldiers out of 4,424 on a returning Army transport announced they would re-enlist because of "unsettled civilian conditions." The Pearl Harbor probe counsel announced it was quitting, the Big Three's foreign ministers got together at Moscow to try again. Japan's former premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, killed himself rather than face a war crimes trial. And UNO decided to set up its home in the USA.



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SOCIETY

Corry Girl Will Wed Local Vet

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Houghton, 154 East Congress street, Corry, gave a dinner party at their home on Friday evening to announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Josephine, to Frank Cervola, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cervola, of Warren.

Rosebuds, tied with a heart bearing the names of Phyllis and Frank, were at each place for the six o'clock dinner.

Miss Houghton is a graduate of Bolton High School at Alexandria, Va., and also attended Corry schools. She was formerly employed by the Aero Supply Company in Corry.

Mr. Cervola is a graduate of Warren High School and was recently discharged from the army after serving for two years with the 112th Infantry, 28th Division, in Europe. He was awarded the silver Star, the Bronze Star, and the Purple Heart.

No wedding date has been set.

Mrs. Edwin Jack Presents Pupils

Mrs. Edwin Jack presented her pupils in their annual holiday program at seven o'clock Saturday evening at her studio, 13 Elm street.

The program opened with a group of Christmas carols sung by David Petersen, accompanied by Marilyn Petersen.

Piano pupils appearing were Dennis Daley, Janet Kline, Cynthia Barker, Gerald Klenck, Joan Muscaro, Mary Lou Hibner, Verneda Jones, Marilyn Petersen, Mary Klenck, Joan Carlson, Dorothy Stoddard and Marie Klenck. Voice pupils presented were Patricia Feront, Dorothy Stoddard and Iris Jean Eldridge.

Guests numbering 40 included parents and friends of the pupils, who expressed their appreciation of the manner in which the students presented their numbers and of progress made.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Frances Peterson and Mrs. Robert Carlson.

Reception Honors Nazarene Pastor

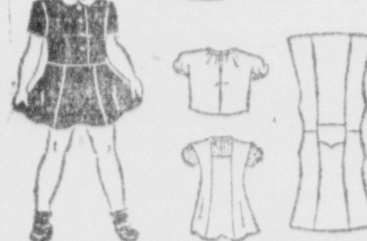
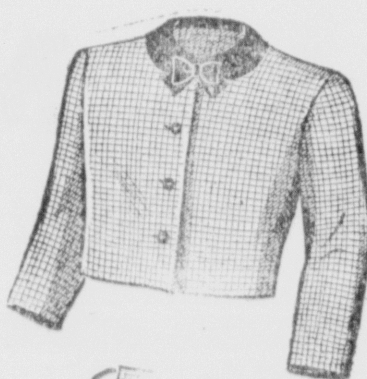
A very pleasant gathering was held at the YWCA activities building on Friday evening, when over 100 members and friends of the First Church of the Nazarene gathered to hold a reception for the Rev. Gordon V. Woods, who just recently was recalled as pastor for another year.

The group included three out of town ministers, Rev. Merriman Corry, Rev. Linblad, Jamestown, N. Y., and Rev. Paul Slagle.

A letter of congratulations from Rev. Schlosser, of Bradford, was read, and a very interesting program presented by the young people of the church. Concluding, refreshments were served by the Bereahah Class.

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TOPS FOR 1945



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Social Events

ENTERTAIN FOR GRACE CHOIR PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schorman, 11 East Third avenue, entertained 29 members of Grace Methodist choir on Thursday evening for the annual Christmas party. After a delicious dinner of ham and all "the fixins", Santa in the person of W. C. Carlson distributed gifts from his well filled pack. Special gifts were also presented to Mrs. Edwin Jack, the director, and to Mrs. Charlotte Smith, who is leaving to join her husband in Washington, D. C. Games and group singing were then enjoyed and at a late hour guests departed with many expressions of appreciation to the Schormans for an especially delightful evening.

MOVING TO BELMONT

Miss Joanna L. Mackay, of Rochester, N. Y., has been in Warren for a short visit with her grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Prescott, 14 Buchanan street. She leaves Saturday for Salamanca, N. Y., to meet her mother, Mrs. Louise Mackay, and assist her in moving to Belmont, N. Y., where Mrs. Mackay will continue as home demonstration agent for the Home Economics Extension Bureau of New York State. Miss Mackay will then return to Rochester, to continue her studies in the Graduate School of the University of Rochester.

WATCH NIGHT AT FIRST EVANGELICAL

An unusual program has been planned for the Watch Night service which will begin at eight o'clock this evening in First Evangelical church. The first hour will be devoted to a worship period with a New Year's message by Pastor J. C. Wygant. Following will be election of Sunday school officers for the ensuing year and a "remembrance hour", in which several persons will recall events of Christmases gone by. The Ladies Aid Society will serve refreshments for all in attendance, and the evening will conclude with a period of prayer as the old year ends, 11:30 to midnight.

JESPERSEN-JOHANSEN MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johansen, 203 1/2 Dartmouth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Robert W. Jespersen, son of Mrs. Marie Jespersen, of Akeley.

The ceremony was performed at 3:00 p. m. Saturday, December 22, at the home of the bride by the Rev. Edward K. Rogers, First Lutheran minister. The bride was given in marriage by her father and attended by Frances Deemer. Elliott Jespersen was best man.

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The Series of Games at Eagles Hall Wednesday night, Jan. 3rd, at 7:30. 12-31-21

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Social Events

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Thursday—3:15, Girls' Club cabinet meeting, high school.
Friday—1:15, Two-to-Four Club; 2:30, North Warren Girl Reserves; 7:30, Girl Scout Twelfth Night observance, 10:00, High School Girls' Club sock-jump.
Saturday—6:00, Pennsylvania Gas Company dinner; 7:30, Freshman sleighride.

LADIES' AID TO HAVE ANNUAL

A large attendance is desired for the all-day meeting of the First Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society, to be held on Thursday. There will be quilting during the forenoon, a luncheon at one o'clock and the annual meeting and election of officers during the afternoon.

SERVICE AT RUSSELL

Russell, Dec. 31—A Watch Night service will be held this evening in the Methodist church, with games, a social time and refreshments starting at nine o'clock, and a religious service lasting from eleven o'clock until midnight. All persons in the community are cordially invited to participate in this evening of fun and inspiration.

WOMEN OF MOOSE

Warren Chapter 693, Women of the Moose, will hold its regular meeting at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, at which time all committee chairmen having reports are asked to present same. The six o'clock supper and social hour in the afternoon have been postponed until January 16 because of the many holiday activities.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mrs. Willis L. Winerter announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Helen Smosna, to William E. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Jackson, 218 Canton street. No date has been set, but the wedding is expected to be an event of the near future.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS CHANGE MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America scheduled for January 2 has been changed to Wednesday, January 9. Mrs. N. J. Mangus and Mrs. S. J. Cosmano will have charge of the program for that evening.

PARTY FOR NORTH WARREN CHILDREN

The North Warren Civic Club and Homemakers Club are sponsoring a Christmas and New Year's party for children of the community at eight o'clock Tuesday evening in the community house.

LUTHERAN UNIT POSTPONES MEETING

The Women's Missionary Society of First Lutheran church has postponed its regular meeting from tomorrow, New Year's Day, to January 15, and all members and friends are asked to note the change.

NEW YEAR'S MASSES IN CATHOLIC PARISHES

Masses on New Year's morning in St. Joseph's church will be held at 5:30, 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30, while at Holy Redeemer church the schedule will be as follows: 6:00 and 8:00.

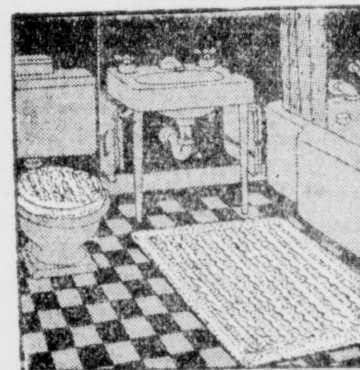
One 50-foot length of garden hose contains enough rubber to make one pneumatic life-saving raft.

Grange News

WARREN UNIT WILL INSTALL

The regular meeting of Warren Grange No. 1025, to be held at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, will include installation of newly elected officers. The business session will be preceded by a 6:30 turken supper for which each one is asked to bring a turken and rolls.

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By Laura Wheeler

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Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12; 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

MRS. ALMA SWANSON

Final rites for Mrs. Alma Swanson, 1919 Pennsylvania avenue, east, were held at 3:30 p. m. Saturday at the Peterson Funeral Home, in charge of her pastor, Rev. Nore Gustafson, of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Bearers for interment in Oakland cemetery were Rudolph Swanson, Rudolph Peterson, Carl J. Douda, Hugh Olson, Bert Larson and Emmett Ecklund. Attending from away were Esther Lindquist, Mrs. C. W. Peterson and Rudolph Peterson, Falconer, N. Y.

MRS. J. AUGUST PETERSON

Sheffield, Dec. 30—Johanna Christian, widow of the late J. Peterson, passed away Sunday, December 30, at 8:00 a. m. at her home at 111 VanEtten avenue.

Mrs. Peterson was born May 3, 1869, in Ryss, Hvaling, Sweden, the daughter of the late Charles T. and Johanna Britta Swanson. She came to America June 22, 1878, and made her home in Sheffield, and resided here until her death. She was confirmed in the Lutheran church June 1, 1884.

On April 10, 1889, in Sheffield, she married John August Peterson. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary April 10, 1939. Six children blessed this union, and five of them survive, Selma Alvilda, Jennie Berthilda, Emory Wilbert, Clyde Edward and Lillian Florentia (Mrs. Lawrence Newburg). A son, John Albert, preceded her in death February 12, 1937, and her husband, November 6, 1943.

She is also survived by five grandchildren: Janet Louise and Jerry Newburg; Patricia, Helen and Dorothy May Peterson; also a sister, Mrs. Oscar W. Peterson, of Jamestown, N. Y.

Mrs. Peterson has been in failing health for a great number of years, and more so since the death of her beloved son John and her husband, but she was able to be about the house until bedridden five weeks ago. She has been a member of the Bethany Lutheran church since 1884. Funeral services in her memory will be held Wednesday, January 2, at 2:30 p. m., at the family residence with Reverend Hans Pearson officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Sheffield cemetery.

MRS. HJALMER FORSGREN

(Special to Times-Mirror)

Services in loving memory of Mrs. Hjalmer Forsgren were held at the Peterson Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by her pastor, Rev. Milton Perry, of the First Baptist church. The hymn, "Peace, Sweet Peace," was sung by Ralph Owens.

The members of the Quaintance Class attended in a body and took charge of many details of the service, a beautiful testimony of their love for this member who was active in the class as long as her health permitted.

Another group of sorrowing friends was from the Seneca P. T. A., in memory of the many years she had served among them in various offices. It was during her term as president, and due largely to her untiring efforts, that the wading pool and shuffle board were installed at the South Side playgrounds. Also her work in the Brownie Troop and her help in the early construction days of Birdsall Edey are well remembered.

The following men acted as bearers to her last resting place: Russell Forsgren, Norman Forsgren, Ralph Owens, John Dickinson, Robert Carlson and Herbert Harris.

Those who attended from out of town were: Mrs. Anna Vanstrom, Mrs. Mildred Shoebeck, Mr. and Mrs. Vanstrom from Jamestown, N. Y.

MRS. DELLA GREENLEE

W. A. Greenlee, 26 Franklin street, has received word of the death of his mother, Mrs. Della Greenlee, which occurred this morning at her home in Girard. The widow of A. A. Greenlee, she had been in failing health for some time. A more complete obituary and funeral announcements will be published on Wednesday.

MRS. AUGUSTA PETERSON

Sheffield, Dec. 30—Services were held Saturday afternoon from the Borden Funeral Home in memory of Mrs. Augusta Peterson, with Reverend Hans Pearson officiating. Committal was made in the Sheffield cemetery with Emory and Clyde Peterson, Charlie Lindahl and Henry Anderson acting as pall bearers.

Attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. George Glans, Gunnar Johnson, Jamestown, N. Y.; John Freeman and Carl J. Johnson, Irvine, N. Y.; Mrs. C. O. Bergstrom, Dunbar, N. Y.; Mrs. Madeline Szymezak, Frewsburg, N. Y.; Franklin Nordland, Mrs. Helen Nordland, Akaley; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graybill, Mrs. Cecil Graybill, Fisher; Miss Clara Hammer, Mrs. J. Nordine, Fred Peterson, Warren.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Lt. Leroy P. Schwab, who died of wounds received in action one year ago today, December 31st.

We are thinking of you today dear one

Thinking of you and the past. Picturing you in our memory, Just as we saw you last

We do not need a special day To bring you in our mind. The days we do not think of you are very hard to find.

If all the world were ours, We would give it, yes, and more. To see the face of our dear Leroy Come smiling through the doorway.

Sadly missed by Loved Ones.

Dec. 31-1*

The iron dome of the U. S. capitol weighs 8,909,200 pounds.

Holiday Project



The holiday project of the Girl Scout Service Bureau ended on Thursday with the awarding of ribbons to girls who have given 25 or more hours of service, and an afternoon of fun sponsored by the program committee of the Warren County Girl Scout Council. As a fitting climax to the project which girls have learned how people in other lands celebrate religious festivals, Harold L. Banghart told of his experiences in Palestine, of the people and their customs.

A total of 146 stuffed toys has been completed by more than 50 girls who met weekly for more than two months to sew for children in other countries. Some of the toys are on display in the Betty Lee store, together with books, which will be sent to Girl Scouts for the following hours of service: Nula Cheronis, 36 hours; Ann Hanson, 33 hours; Diantha Chesnut, 28 hours; Ellen Henderson, 26 hours; Dawn Taft, Joyce and Janet Furman, Mary Carol and Nancy Lee Zwald and Betty Moore, each 25 hours.

Local Hotel Gets Boost In New York P.M.

In the issue of Friday's P. M., New York's famous tabloid newspaper the following appeared in the space devoted to letters to the editor:

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Dear Editor:

I've been on "the road" since early September, seldom staying more than a week in any one place.

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Jerome Gordon

Carver Hotel, Warren, Pa.

The article has attracted wide attention and any number of clippings have been sent into the hotel by patrons of the Carver Hotel who have read and noted the "boost" given the local hostelry.

It is a fine tribute to the hotel and in the New York paper affords a splendid piece of publicity for which the management can be proud.

Solar Electric Secures Large Settlement

A long standing controversy between Solar Electric Corporation and the Corning Glass Works was brought to a successful conclusion for the local company on Friday by a representative of the Corning company who was in Warren to conclude the arrangements.

During the years 1935 to 1943 the Corning Glass Works refused to furnish the local company with inside frosted bulbs because of the possibility of infringing the Pipkin patent process of the General Electric Company. The local company maintained that the patent did not represent new art and proceeded to inside frost its bulbs locally with specially designed equipment during these years. The Solar Electric Corporation, in affiliation with other independent lamps manufacturers, carried the case to the higher courts and a few weeks ago the supreme court of the United States handed down a decision that the patent in question was invalid and therefore un-infringed.

In settlement for the added expense caused the local company by Corning's refusal to sell them inside frosted bulbs a payment of \$27,333 was made.

This patent represents the last one of any consequence that need be adjudicated in the incandescent lighting field and this leaves the local company in a position to continue its expansion without the expense of similar litigation.

BIRTHS

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In Philadelphia

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Heelan, of Philadelphia, are the parents of a son born this morning. Mrs. Heelan is the former June DeFrees, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DeFrees, of Warren.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for the many kind deeds, words of sympathy extended and the flower offerings during our recent bereavement.

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Is American Business To Be Based on Free Competition, Or Is It To Become Socialized, With All Activities Controlled and Regulated?

General Motors has faced what it believes is a highly critical issue. It has made its decision. It is important that the public understand the issue. The issue at stake transcends the interests of General Motors. There is involved something far more consequential—a most vital principle.

Is American business in the future, as in the past, to be conducted as a competitive system? Or is the determination of the essential economic factors, such as costs, prices, profits, etc., upon which business success and progress depend, to be made politically by some governmental agency instead of by the management appointed by the owners of the business for that purpose?

America is at the crossroads! It must preserve the freedom of each unit of American business to determine its own destinies, or it must transfer to some governmental bureaucracy or agency, or to a union, the responsibility of management that has been the very keystone of American business. Shall this responsibility be surrendered? That is the decision the American people face. America must choose!

General Motors has made its choice. It refuses to subscribe to what it believes will ultimately become, through the process of evolution, the death of the American system of competitive enterprise. It will not participate voluntarily in what stands out crystal-clear at the end of the road—a regimented economy. If this is what the American people want they must make that choice through their accredited representatives in Congress. General Motors declines for itself to take such a great responsibility.

It may be said that this is an exaggeration. It is not! All business questions are inter-related. Costs, prices, wages, profits, schedules, investments must be the responsibility of management. Political determination of such relationships means regimentation.

The idea of ability to pay, whatever its validity may be, is not applicable to an individual business within an industry as a basis for raising its wages beyond the going rate.

Consider the implications of such a principle. Who would risk money to develop or expand a business under such circumstances? Where would be the

incentive to do a more efficient job? Would it be intelligent to destroy the incentive for efficiency? Would it not be more intelligent to subscribe to the principle that no one should be forced to pay more than the going rate? Should General Motors, assuming it is more efficient, be required to pay more for materials, for transportation, for services or for wages than its competition? And how much more determined by a political governmental agency?

Do you subscribe to the belief that you should pay for what you buy or the services you use on the basis of your financial resources? It is clear that this is the principle involved.

The President of the United States has appointed a Fact-Finding Board to inquire into the circumstances involved in the demands of the UAW-CIO upon General Motors and to make recommendations related thereto. General Motors stood ready to supply the Board with all necessary data regarding wage rates, employees' earnings, hours of employment, and all other relevant information regarding wages and employment. However, the Board has ruled that General Motors' ability to pay will be considered as a fact in determining an increase in wages. This would require an appraisal of costs, prices, prospective volume of business, investment factors, expenses and the entire forward operating program of the business, thus the Board would assume the most vital functions of management.

General Motors is not contending that it has or has not the ability to pay. It always has paid liberal wages. It has attempted through protracted collective bargaining sessions to determine what is fair and equitable today. It has made a fair and liberal offer to the Union.

Notwithstanding the importance of re-establishing employment and resuming production at the earliest possible moment, the above reasons have made it impossible for General Motors to participate in the proceedings of the Board under the procedures as now established, and it has therefore withdrawn from the hearings. It takes that position with great regret, but it does so in the sincere belief that this action is in the long-term interest of employees, consumers, investors, and of the public as well—and of higher standards for all.

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GARLAND

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CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tripp left Monday evening for California where the former has been transferred by the army, having been up to now located in Rhode Island since his return from the Pacific area.

Miss Margaret Tripp was also at home for the holidays.

Miss Marian Holmes and David Shannon will be married New Year's Day in the Wesleyan Methodist church at Pittsfield. A reception will follow at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Holmes.

Several from Garland attended Midnight Mass in Tidoute Christmas eve.

Christmas programs were given by the local school children where gifts were exchanged.

Early morning services were held in the Garland Catholic church.

Christmas is a happy one for many homes in Garland and vicinity this year as many of the soldier boys are at home for the first time in several years. Lighted trees in and out are to be seen with attractive wreaths and candles much in evidence. Then the

trees outside are heavily laden with snow bringing to us a White Christmas.

The road caretakers were out early Christmas morning considering the slippery pavement.

Mrs. Stuart of Pittsfield was laid to rest in the Garland Presbyterian cemetery on Thursday.

Miss Eva Bristow who has been teaching in Vermont, is spending her holidays here and with relatives in Erie.

Peter Leofsky has been on the sick list but is improved.

Homer Black has been discharged from the navy and his family are awaiting his return.

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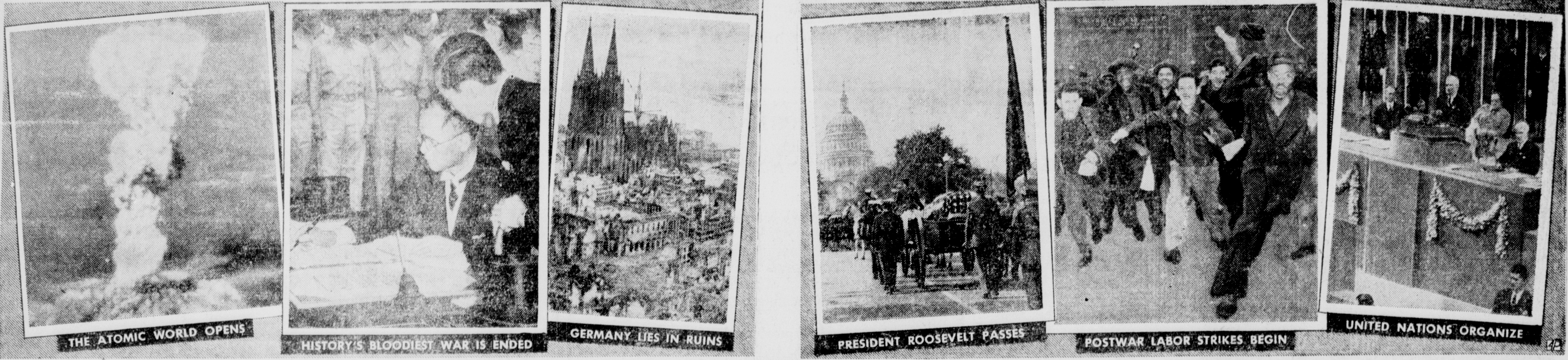
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MACKENZIE'S Column

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP World Traveler

London—I have just had by first private conversation with the head of Britain's new labor (Socialist) government, Prime Minister Attlee—and I like him.

Now of course this is a wholly unorthodox way of beginning our article, but it's deliberate. Naturally it doesn't matter a pot of small beans whether I like Mr. Attlee—except for one reason—an interviewer's first and most important task is to size up his personage. During the instant between crossing the threshold and shaking of hands, the reporter must have determined the character of his man. It's partly training but mostly intuition.

I like Attlee because he looks honest.

The prime minister received me in his office at number ten Downing street—not the first time I've interviewed a premier there, by the way. There's the same rather

victorian setting of rich old mahogany and red plush, but the surroundings are blacked-out by your interest in the quiet, almost retiring man who is the leader of England's Leftist swing. Bald, bespectacled, the paleness of his face accentuated by a black moustache, he looks like an intellectual—and is one.

Mr. Attlee responded thoughtfully but freely to blunt questions. Because he has made it a rule not to give interviews for publication, I can't quote him here. However, it is permitted for me to give my understanding of the government's attitude on some major issues. So I'm going to mention briefly a few points in which readers of this column have expressed special interest.

The labor party has come out categorically against any form of totalitarian government. But what about regimentation of the workers under the nationalization of industry such as is being inaugurated?

Well, I believe Mr. Attlee has said in effect on the floor of the house of commons that there will be no regimentation—that labor will be free to pick and choose its jobs without dictation by the government. I must, should the government attempt to dictate, the trade unions would kick it.

That is the attitude of the moderate socialist group headed by Mr. Attlee. I should be stating only a partial truth, however, if I didn't report that there are a few influential socialist leaders who

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YOUNGVILLE NEWS

Youngville, Dec. 28—Announcement is now made of the awards made by the Youngville Business People's Association for local decorations of homes during the Christmas season. Clarence Walter is president of the Association.

The Christmas displays were judged by Mrs. Gerda Lawrence, Art Instructor of Warren High School, Mrs. Mary Overturf and Mrs. Mary Keeler of Warren. They were assisted by Mrs. Rose Hubert and Miss Golda Hill of the local Business and Professional Woman's Club.

Due to driving conditions, the judges were unable to make more than one study of the display. This inspection was made Dec. 23rd.

The following awards were made for strictly outside displays:

1st prize—Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson 106 Marsh Ave.

2nd prize—Mrs. Mertie Kay, 308 West Main street.

3rd prize—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chappel, 615 East Main street.

Strictly inside display as viewed from the outside:

1st prize—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Seelin 314 West Main street.

2nd prize—Earl Walter's residence, display arranged by Donnie Walter, West Main street.

3rd prize—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gobliger, East Main street.

There were other attractively decorated homes in Youngville, and the business people's association appreciated all the effort shown in local decorations.

LOCALS

Mrs. Laura Hill entertained a group for Christmas dinner which included her son Dick and wife. Dick has just returned from a long service in navy in the Pacific. Though he was through many dangerous landing operations his boat was unharmed and all the crew came through without any fatalities.

The Orange Circle will meet on Wednesday afternoon Jan. 2nd with Mrs. John Kellerman on North Main street.

The Brokenstraw Garden Club will hold a New Year's meeting Jan. 1st with a three dinner at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Streeter. All members are urged to be present.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kellerman were Mrs. Margaret Day of Russell and two sons one home from the army and the other from the navy.

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Science Now Turns To All Peace Work

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That was the essence of the year-end review of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, issued today.

New war implements which the review listed as useful in peacetime include:

Jet propulsion—its adaptation to the geared gas turbine, which "seems destined to become the real workhorse of future commercial aviation."

Radar—for use in navigation and adaptation to stratovision, "a radically new technique for airborne television that will hasten coast-to-coast television coverage."

Tank gun stabilizers—applying them to make smoother rides for railroad passengers.

M. W. Smith, Westinghouse vice president in charge of engineering, commented that "from a science and engineering viewpoint the year just passed probably has been the most fruitful in the knowledge of man."

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Philadelphian Heads Y Post-War Program

Appointment of Lester C. Haworth, general secretary of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A., as associate general secretary of the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations, with Offices at 347 Madison Ave., New York, was announced last week by Eugene E. Barnett, the organization's general secretary.

In his new post Mr. Haworth will direct the Y. M. C. A.'s past war restoration program planned to rebuild war-damaged properties, expand staffs depleted by the war, and otherwise strengthen the Y. M. C. A. movement throughout the world.

Before becoming general secretary of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A., Mr. Haworth headed Y. M. C. A.'s in Buffalo, St. Louis, Youngstown, Ohio and Bombay, India. He also visited most of the local Y. M. C. A.'s in the Philippines.

Japan, Korea, China and Manchuria. During World War I he was director of Y. M. C. A. service to troops of the A.E.F. in Central Europe and visited most of the Associations on the continent. In 1924 in St. Louis Mr. Haworth directed a successful drive for \$3,000,000, the largest "Y" campaign ever undertaken until that time. During his 10 years in Philadelphia he virtually wiped out a \$5,300,000 debt and greatly expanded Y. M. C. A. activities there. Mr. Haworth is a graduate of Earlham College and is a member of the Society of Friends.

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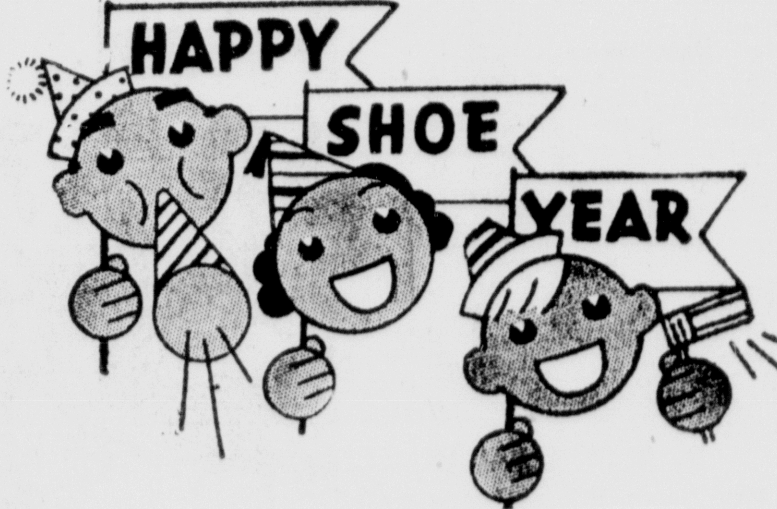
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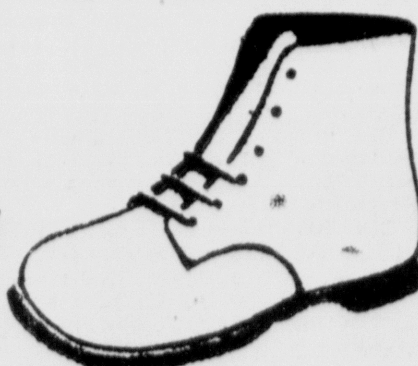
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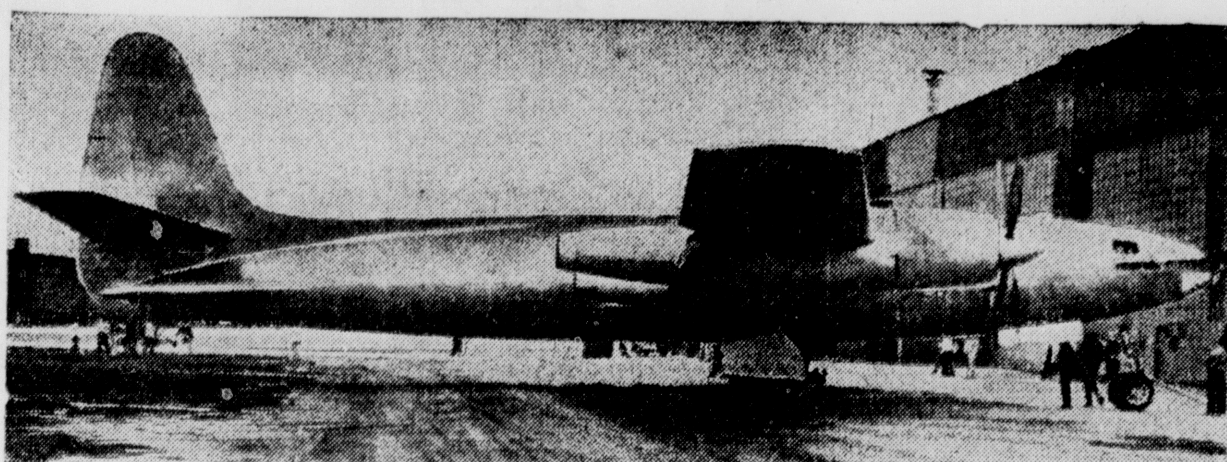


Sales By Farm Teams Great Aid to Victory Bond Drive

No quota was set for the County Farm Teams, but their outstanding records have contributed greatly to the success of the Victory Loan drive. Below is a report of their Victory Bond sales, which have been allocated to the county districts:

Stanley Lawrence, Chairman.	Sales
Farmington Twp.—Mrs. Lloyd Hedges, captain; workers, Mrs. Roy Lindell, Miss Lillian Lindell, Mrs. Rose Falconer, Mrs. Bert Van Ord, Mrs. E. A. Stanton, Mrs. Warner Beck, Mrs. M. L. Satterlund and Mrs. Walter Carlson	\$7,162.50
Glade Twp.—William Olney, captain; workers, Walter D. Ward, Mrs. Elmer Ploss and Mrs. Merle Schweitzer	137.50
Spring Creek Twp.—Leon D. Whiteley, captain; workers, Mrs. Hazel Eldred, Mrs. Leon Whiteley and Mrs. Cecil Burleigh	2,518.75
Sugar Grove Twp.—Alfred Akin, captain; workers, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson, Mrs. Dorothy Rhodes and Mrs. E. R. Tuley	2,518.75

New Sky Giant Nearly Ready for Test



Secretly under development for more than two years, first test flights are scheduled soon for Republic's new XF-12, above, Army photo reconnaissance plane. The highly streamlined four-motored ship is described as the military forerunner of the manufacturer's Rainbow Transport. It is about the same size as the famous P-47 Thunderbolt.

North Warren Reaches 236% Of Its Victory Bond Quota

As the following figures show, North Warren has an unusually fine record for Victory Bond sales. All bonds purchased before December 31st count in the present drive and undoubtedly the final return will show a still larger percentage for North Warren:

T. C. Atwell, chairman. Quota \$10,000. Percent of quota 236.5.

Team 1—Mrs. Florence Newhall, captain	\$1,550.00
Team 2—Mrs. Florence Ward, captain	4,669.25
Team 3—Chris Pepke, captain	975.00
Team 4—Mrs. Eline Noble, captain	5,781.75
Blomquist Store	506.25
Boy Scouts	318.75
North Warren School	37.50
Non-solicited	112.50
Other than "E" Bonds	10,000.00
Total	\$23,651.00

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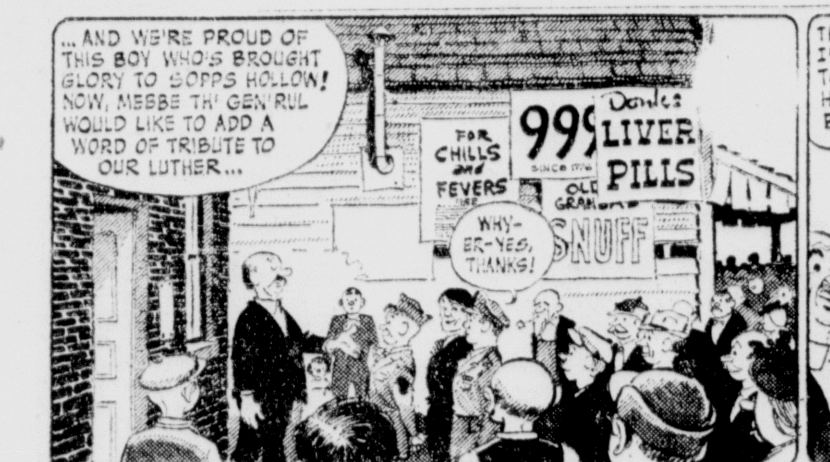


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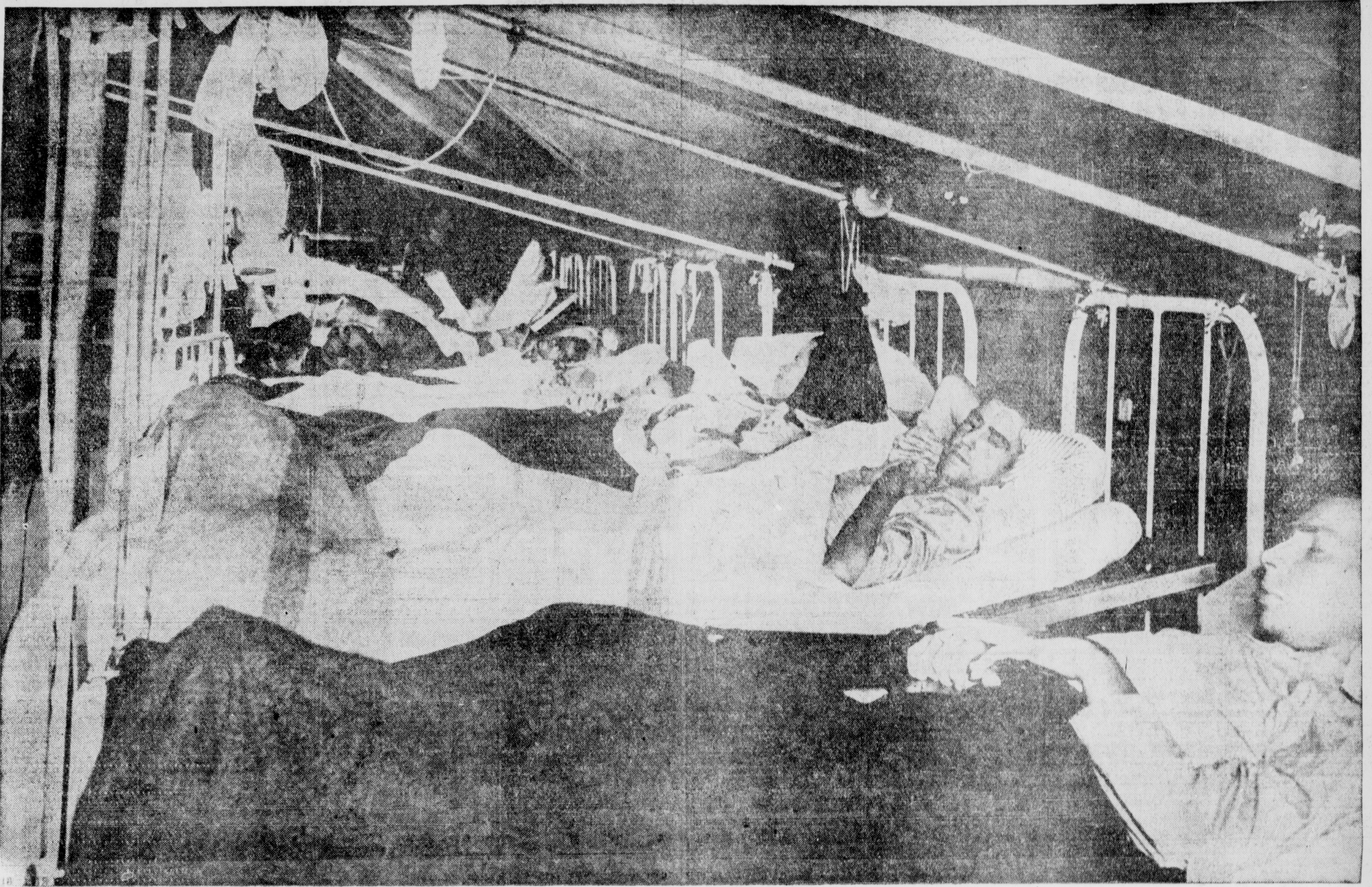
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Who dares say *"Happy New Year"* in a Hospital?

• It's New Year's Day.

The eyes of the wounded watch you. Their faces follow your progress down the long lines of white hospital beds.

Could you smile at them and say, "Happy New Year"? The words would stick in your throat!

For them, this New Year holds no promise, except

of pain. The legless, the armless, the sick, and wounded gave themselves for our Victory. What can we give them in return?

Surely not words. Not the empty brightness of a New Year's greeting. For these, above all, deserve their country's best.

It's up to you to see they get it!

The best of medicine, and doctors, and nursing. The best of hospitals, and care for their wounds of body and spirit. The best of everything they want and need to make their New Year bearable.

How can you do it?

Buy Bonds! Buy Victory Bonds—Your New Year's greeting to the men who bought our Victory!

Buy More Bonds! Hold All Your Bonds!

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SPORT NEWS

Struthers Edges O'Connors,
25-24, To Retain First Place;
Sylvania Shades Blomquists

Powerful Struthers Wells retained its grasp on first place in City League competition Saturday night, but a lone point kept the league-leaders from dropping into a deadlock with Sheffield's equally powerful O'Connors' Machine Shop as the Wellmen eked out a 25-24 decision on the Y Hardwood.

In the preliminary attraction, Sylvania barely managed to keep its head above water when they edged a continually improving Blomquist five, 30-27. Parn Davis and Al Buerkle, both discharged servicemen, kept the pace alive for the full count in this prelim, Davis popping 14 through the hoop for the winners, and Buerkle collecting 15 for his mates.

Saturday's results send Sylvania into a tie for second with the Penn Bottles, while the O'Connors drop to third. The loss for Blomquists was their fifth straight, placing them in the cellar with Times-Mirror.

The O'Connors-Struthers clash was nip-and-tuck the entire distance, the Sheffield crew holding a mere margin at the first quarter mark, but the Wellmen coming back to lead by one point at halftime. Both teams scored equally in the final half.

A bad first quarter cost Blomquists a victory. Sylvania outpointed the losers, 12 to 4, in the opening canto to gain the necessary margin.

Thursday night's matches at the Y present another top card, with O'Connors and Blomquists tangling in a 7:30 preliminary and Sylvania hoping to upset Struthers in the 8:30 nightcap. Including Thursday's games, only eight remain on the first half slate.

IF YOU want to keep it secret, don't put it in the Want Ads.

Lineups:

FIRST GAME	
Blomquists	FG FT TP
Chimienti, f	0 0 0
Valentine, f	0 0 0
Buerkle, c	2 2 1
Matthews, g	1 2 2
Fascuzzi, f	0 0 0
Rizzo, f	0 0 0
Ward, f	0 0 0
Weldelhoc, c	1 0 0
Gerardi, g	1 0 0
Totals	12 10 3 27
Sylvania	FG FT TP
Davis, f	6 4 2
Vizza, f	2 0 0
Gronsweld, c	3 5 2
Junsola, g	1 3 2
Creola, g	0 0 0
Wright, g	0 0 0
Rapin, f	0 0 0
Aumer, g	0 0 0
Totals	12 12 6 30
Score by quarters:	
Sylvania	12 4 8 6-30
Blomquists	4 10 4 9-27

SECOND GAME

Struthers	
W. Wolfe, f	2 2 1 3
Ritchie, f	1 0 0 2
L. Check, c	3 1 0 1
Zerbe, g	1 0 0 2
Hart, g	2 4 1 3
T. Wolfe, f	1 3 2 4
McKeehan, f	0 0 0 0
Chase, f	0 0 0 0
Totals	10 10 3 25
O'Connors	FG FT TP
McAvey, f	3 3 2 5
Camp, f	0 2 1 1
Farnsworth, c	3 0 0 0
Swanson, g	1 0 0 0
Lundahl, g	2 4 3 7
Mareke, g	0 0 0 0
Totals	9 9 6 24
Score by quarters:	
Struthers	8 5 5 6-25
O'Connors	9 4 4 7-24
Official:	Joe Waples.

Scientist

HORIZONTAL

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- 18 Bed
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- 36 Cameroon town
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- 38 Flower
- 39 He teaches at the University of
- 40 He helped develop the bomb
- 41 Engraving
- 42 Gnawing

VERTICAL

- 1 Wagers
- 2 Halt
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Signed for Aussies

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The Boy Who Made Good

NOT ALL SUCCESS STORIES IN SPORTS ARE ABOUT "6-FOOTERS." THERE'S ALSO THAT LITTLE FELLOW FROM NIBLEY, UTAH...

Rose, Sugar Bowl Games Head
List of 13 New Year's Day
Bids; 400,000 Fans Expected

By MURRAY ROSE

New York, Dec. 31.—(AP)—The thump of the booted pigskin will be heard once again in the mariner climes of the nation tomorrow when selected football teams square off against each other in the 13 New Year's Day extravaganza that are expected to attract a total of 400,000 grid enthusiasts.

The top crowds of the day will be concentrated in Pasadena's Rose Bowl where all-conquering Alabama will engage the three-beaten Trojans of Southern California before about 90,000 fans and in New Orleans, where the unbeaten and untied Oklahoma Aggies will tangle with the once-beaten Gallopers of St. Mary's before about 72,000 customers in the Sugar Bowl.

The annual Shrine contest in San Francisco between the Eastern and Western All-Stars finds the latter team a 1½ point choice. About 60,000 fans will see the "dream" squads in action.

Despite that Holy Cross' triple threat, alling Stan Kosloski, is almost certain to stifle the once-beaten Crusaders are 12 points underdogs to Miami's Hurricanes in the Orange Bowl where a 35,000 crowd is expected.

The Dallas Cotton Bowl matches the once-beaten Texas Longhorns, champions of the Southwest Conference, against three-beaten Missouri, the Big Six king, with Texas a 13-point favorite. The game is expected to draw 45,000.

Charley Trippi and his Georgia

mates have been given a 5½ point edge over Tulsa in the Oil Bowl at Houston. Both teams were defeated twice, but a crowd of 27,000 is expected.

Crowds of 15,000 are expected for the Sun Bowl play at El Paso, Tex., matching Denver against New Mexico, at the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla., where Wake Forest will encounter South Carolina; and for the Raisin Bowl tilt at Fresno, Calif., where Drake will engage Fresno State.

Between 5,000 and 7,000 fans are expected to turn out for Birmingham's Vulcan Bowl contest between Tennessee State and Texas College, Jacksonville's Power Bowl game between Louisiana Normal and Lane College; Orlando's Azalea Bowl where Knoxville College and Florida N. & I. meet on Miami's Coconut Bowl game between Bethune-Cookman College and Albany (Ga.) State Teachers.

In the first post-season game, a group of Northern All-Stars took advantage of the Southern team's fumbling to score a 26-0 upset victory in the eighth annual Blue-Gray game played before a near-capacity crowd of 20,000 in Montgomery, Ala.

A dirigible 950 feet long and 142 feet in diameter, carrying 112 first-class passengers, or 238 tourist-class. One airline is already looking forward to using dirigibles for freight on five different world routes.

Steel is harder than pure iron because of carbon.

Can't Start Too Young



THE first freeze of winter was not wasted by these New York youngsters, Gordon Cochran, Danny Walker and Jimmy Schumacker, who scurried to the roof of Madison Square Boys Club to unlimber their skating legs. A little rusty now, perhaps, but you ought to see them six weeks from now.

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Dragon Quint
Awaits Friday
Owl Invasion

Warren's Dragon basketballs settled down to a week of strenuous court drills and scrimmages today in preparing for their ninth encounter of the season, next Friday's battle with the Bradford Owls here on Beatty court.

The Massmen, unbeaten in their eight starts to date this season, held lots of confidence, however, as they began their final workout for 1946. Mentor Joe Massa stated that practice would be held Wednesday and Thursday at Beatty and possibly Tuesday afternoon at either the High School or Beatty.

Harold Brace's Bradford machine came back into action Friday after a two weeks' layoff due to the "flu" and well-wiped Farrell, 42-23, at Bradford. Four veteran lettermen pace the Owl quintet, but it will be lacking height when it engages the locals. To date, the Owls are unbeaten in four starts. The Bracemen dumped DuBois in their opener, came back again to rout Falconer, but they were forced out of action because of illness. Two wins last week, one over the Alumni and the Farrell conquest, give the Owls four straight.

Dragon coach Massa said he expected to make no changes in his "Big Five" starting lineup. Only the varsity squad will practice on the remaining holidays, the second outfit remaining inactive until Thursday.



National Forge League

Team	Points
Gun Shop	331 787 682-2300
Main Office	720 804 756-2280
Finishing	730 850 845-2434
Heat Treat	748 778 763-2287
Roughing	736 881 741-2338
Forge Shop	741 880 798-2399
Works Office	785 792 835-2412

Standings

Team	Points
Roughing	31 17 846
Main Office	29 19 804
Finishing	27 21 563
Works Office	26 22 542
Gun Shop	25 23 521
Heat Treat	24 24 500
Forge Shop	18 30 333
Boring Dept.	14 34 292

High single game, L. Freeboro 287.

High three games, Joe Goblinger 599.

High team game, Roughing 884.

High team total, Roughing 2475.

Honor Roll

F. Aumer 2184; J. Nichols 201; L. Genberg 2184; P. Mong 209; E. Rydhom 208; J. Kulbacki 202; Schumacker 191; Anderson 191.

PENN ALLEYS

The Penn Bowling Center will follow this schedule during the week: Wednesday, the Struthers League at 8:45 and Ladies' City League at 9 o'clock; Thursday, Commercial League at 8:45 and Men's Minor League at 9; Friday, National Forge League at 8:45.

In wishing all its patrons a Happy New Year, the Penn Bowling Center, owned and managed by Jimmy Clark, announces that it will be open from 3 until 11 Tuesday, but remains closed today.

AT ARCADE

In the first matches of the second half of the K. of C. League St. Mary's took four points from Holy Cross. Dr. Jim Giunta's 197 and 567 was best for St. Mary's while Frank Graziano's 182 and Joe Musant's 470 was best for Holy Cross. Duquesne took three points from Notre Dame, Gus Cerra's 200 and 564 was best for Duquesne while Mike Elmer's 199 and 518 was best for Notre Dame. Santa Clara took three points from Fordham. Sam Cosmano's 211 and 554 was best for Santa Clara while Charlie Bonavita's 222 and 508 was best for Fordham.

Holy Cross ... 755 707 719-2181

St. Mary's ... 808 840 731-2377

Duquesne ... 853 825 886-2589

Notre Dame ... 735 858 829-2452

Santa Clara ... 768 791 706-2265

Fordham ... 700 731 810-2241

Standings

Team	Points
St. Mary's	4 0 1,000
Duquesne	3 1 750
Santa Clara	3 1 750
Notre Dame	1 3 250
Fordham	1 3 250
Holy Cross	0 4 000

Leaders

High single game, Dr. Jim Giunta, 267.

High 5 games, Dr. Jim Giunta, 667.

High team game, St. Mary's, 941.

High team total, Notre Dame, 2854.

This Week's Schedule

Monday—Open bowling.

Tuesday—Alleys closed.

Wednesday—Thomas Coupling.

Thursday, 7 p. m.—C. D. of A.: St. Mary's vs. Seton Hill; Villa Maria vs. Mercyhurst.

Friday, 7 p. m.—K. of C.: Santa Clara vs. Duquesne; Holy Cross vs. Fordham. 9 p. m.: St. Mary's vs. Notre Dame.

ELKS LEAGUE

Nine-O Garage added four points to its victory column, and Solar Electric smashed out a three-point win over the South Side Market Friday in the Elks League. The garage outfit gained the margin via a forfeit over Geracinos.

In the forfeit match, W. Hoagvall tallied a 196 single and a 517 total to lead Nine-O, and in the second match, J. Robling's 198 single and N. Groch's 498 total were high for Solar Electric, and Kuhre led the losing South Side Market with a 206 and 526 total.

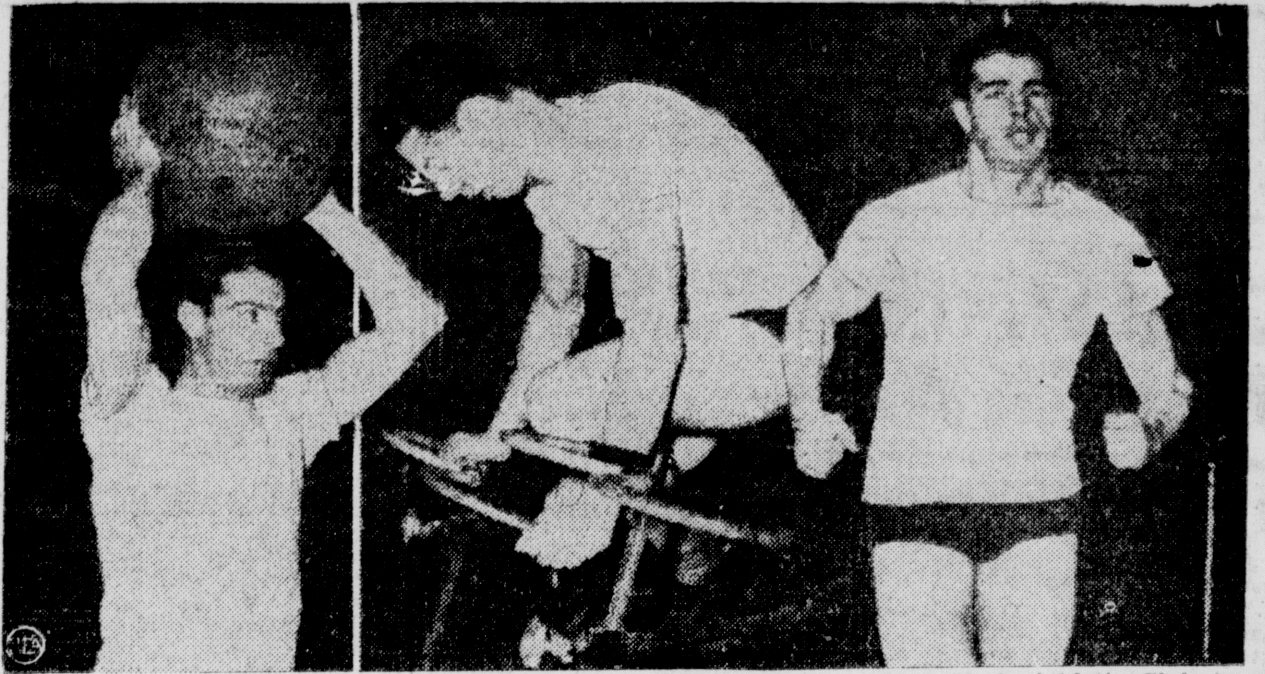
Nine-O Garage 772 778 785-2555

Geracinos (Forfeit)

Solar Elec. 727 857 7-2344

S. S. Market 781 797 728-2506

A Stretch in Time



Following three years in Army, Joe DiMaggio obtains early start at New York Athletic Club in preparation for return to Yankees next spring. Juggling medicine ball takes off excess poundage. Bicycle and track put legs in shape for snagging flies and running bases.

Annual Gym Exhibition At
YM Tuesday at Seven P. M.

The annual gym exhibition of the boys physical department of the YMCA will be held on Tuesday, January 1, at 7 o'clock.

Approximately seventy five boys from the Cadet, Junior, and Older Boys divisions will take part in the exhibition. Practice sessions have been held during the vacation schedule with the various groups that are taking part in the show and an interesting and entertaining evening is guaranteed the spectators.

The boys have assembled a variety of calisthenics, basketball, relays, specialties, games and other activities that are carried on in the regular gym classes.

The exhibition will open with all the boys in the program taking part in a calisthenics drill which will provide a demonstration of mass coordination and activity.

The second number on the program will present four teams of Cadets competing in a series of relays. Boys taking part in the relay competition are: Chuck Anderson, Bob Bates, Don Chestnut, Ronald Carlson, Dick Conner, Jim Curtis, Bruce Duell, Donald Mac, Dick, Don Dinsmore, Gary Ettinger, Dick Eggleston, Harold Erickson, Jim Fielding, Hugh Gillett, Dick Greenwalt, Bob Harrington, Douglas Hetrick, John Holcomb, Martin Kittern, Tom Larsen, Dick Lundahl, Bob Maeder, Dick Norling, Keegemo, Charles Prigent, Paul Robillard, David Redmond, Charles Salerno, Gail Schafer, Dick Swanson, Bob Wilvalone.

son, Tim Wood, Ronald Wood, Dick

The Juniors will follow with

teams competing in these games

which are very popular in the gym

classes: dodge ball, line soccer,

and torpedo ball. Boys taking

part in the games are: John An-

derberg, Roger Babcock, Dean

Blair, Robert Choate, Charles Chio-

do, Harry Danielson, Gary Davis,

Charles Dean, Charles Baran, Ted

Dombeck, Jack Eggleston, Glenn

Farr, Bob Foley, Francis Griffin,

Bob Hampson, Ronald Irvine, Bob

Jones, Dick Kennedy, Harold Mar-

tin, Jack Mowell, Jack Nicholson,

Jim Pellegrino, Leroy Salerno,

John Stohl, Bob Schrenongost,

Tom Thompson, Dick Updegraff,

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Warren Girls In
Win Over Corry

The Warren Girls' bowling team chalked up a four-point victory over the Corry Girls yesterday at the Penn Bowling Center.

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Average Words	1 day	3 days	1 wk.
Up to 15 words or 3 lines	.30	.70	1.62
20 words or 4 lines	.44	1.20	2.16
25 words or 5 lines	.55	1.50	2.74
30 words or 6 lines	.66	1.80	3.24
35 words or 7 lines	.77	2.10	3.75
40 words or 8 lines	.88	2.40	4.32
45 words or 9 lines	.99	2.70	4.86
50 words or 10 lines	1.10	3.00	5.40
55 words or 11 lines	1.21	3.30	5.94

Announcements

Persons
GET our 1946 Farm and Home Catalogue. It's free. Raynor & Carver, Roberts Building, Jamestown, New York.

WOULD appreciate your renewals on all magazines. Lauretta Masterson, 306 Beech St. Call 1891-R.

Strayed, Lost, Found
1947 CLASS RING, Lander High, lost in Kresge's Monday. Reward. Finder leave at G. C. Murphy's office or call Russell 3132 after 6 p. m.

BLACK and tan beagle hound lost in Hill or Morrison Run. Reward. Call 742-W or Rudolph's Barber Shop.

COOK BECK picked up by mistake in hallway at 5 Cottage Place. Kindly return same.

PENDANT earring set with diamonds and pearls lost between St. Paul's Lutheran church and bus terminal, or on bus or on Pollett Run road. Liberal reward if returned to Times-Mirror.

BUFF colored cocker spaniel, 9 mos. old, answers to name Vicky, lost. Call 2589 between 9 and 6 for any information concerning same. Reward.

LOST—Gold hand-made rosary in center of town. Reward. Phone 609.

Automotive

11 Automobiles For Sale

LAST CALL BEFORE NEW CEILINGS ARE ANNOUNCED—CAN USE THIS WEEK 25 CARS, 1935-1939 MODELS; 10 CARS 1939-1942 MODELS. ANY MAKE CAR IS ACCEPTABLE. WRITE OR PHONE KEN O'DAY, JAMESTOWN, N. Y., PHONE 6508.

15 Motorcycles and Bicycles

MAN'S good bicycle for sale. Call 30.

Business Service

18 Business Services Offered

UPHOLSTERING, refinishing, repairing, awnings. New service of signs. C. M. Folkman. Phone 419. 105 1/2 Frank St.

MOVING—Local, long distance. Furniture packed, crated, stored. Masterson Transfer Co. Phone 35.

STORAGE SPACE of all types, reasonable. Call Warren Transfer & Storage Co., 105 Madison Ave. Call 1193.

Employment

32 Help Wanted—Female

GIRL for general housework, five days a week. Phone 2798.

33 Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Experienced farmer. High wages to right party. John Hennison, 351 E. Main St., Tidewater, Pa. Phone 5282.

MBN wanted to set pins. Arcade Bowling Alley.

37 Situations Wanted—Male

FORMER SOLDIER, 26 years of age, 5 years service, desires office work. Experience consists of 2 years chief clerk in Air Corps and 2 years genl. clerk-typist in service forces and former War Department office chief clerk in Washington. Has intelligence score of 119, expert typist, fair bookkeeper, excellent record keeper. Available after Dec. 25th. Phone 2640, or letter to 413 Taft Pl., City. Desires full time work or part time.

BOY, 17, wants work in store after school on Saturday. Write Box 715, care Times-Mirror.

Live Stock

49 Poultry and Supplies

50 WHITE LEGHORN hens, good laying strain. C. E. Alspaugh, Scandia.

BROILERS and springers, 3 to 6 lbs., alive or dressed. Delivered. Phone 5502-J3.

49-A Rabbits For Sale

RABBITS and hutch for sale cheap. Call 30.

50 Wanted—Live Stock

WANTED—Beef cattle and calves in the vicinity. J. W. Sweeney, Sugar Grove. Phone 17-R2.

WANTED to buy old or crippled horses for fox feed. Phone or write Archibald Fox Ranch, 5001-R12, Warren, Pa.

Merchandise

Articles For Sale

2 WINDOWS, approx. 4x6, with frames; 1 youth bed complete, 1 crib, large, complete. Phone 1162.

TENOR saxophone, boy's reversible coat, size 16. Call 1610-J.

56 Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

FOR SALE—14-inch stove wood, dry. Phone 5018-R21.

59 Household Goods

WHITE kitchen cabinet, sliding porcelain top, metal floor bin and bread drawer, \$35. May be seen at 207 Frank St. Phone 2482-W.

EASY IRON for sale. Call 2663 Russell.

FOR SALE, cheap, 9-piece oak dining room suite. Call 2471.

COAL circulating heaters, some like new; combination ranges, Westinghouse electric range, at Carlson's Second Hand Store, 101 1/2 Russell St.

62 Musical Merchandise

SPINET console piano for sale. Warren Piano Shop, 321 Hickory St.

66 Wanted—To Buy

WANTED—To buy No. 1 baled straw, also baled timothy and clover hay. Phone Russell 2568 evenings.

WANTED—Chestnut grape posts. Must be 7 ft. long minimum, 3 inches on small end. Write Hugh Fiebelkorn, 40 W. Doughty St., Dunkirk, N. Y.

WANTED—To buy 1 1/2-ton dump truck in good condition. Phone Kinzua 8-R2 evenings.

WANTED—Delta bench tools, 14" band saw, 6" jointer, 14" drill especially. What have you? H. A. Beckett, 5 Race Alley, Jamestown, N. Y.

WANTED—We pay cash for used guns, rifles, shotguns or revolvers. Don Finley, Sporting Goods.

Real Estate for Rent

81 Wanted—To Rent

ROOM or apartment wanted by business girl. References furnished upon request. Write P. O. Box 602, Warren.

WANTED—3 or 4 room furnished apartment. Army officer's wife and child. Call 2919-J.

WANTED—Small furnished apt. Ex-service man and wife, no children or pets. Call 4873.

Real Estate for Sale

84 Houses For Sale

TWO APT. house, newly redecorated, with or without furniture. Immediate occupancy. Terms. Inquire 109 Prospect St.

89 Wanted—Real Estate

LOT or small piece of ground wanted at Kinzua, suitable for hunting camp. Will consider small farm. Describe fully. F. L. Powell, 3618 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh 13, Pa.

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28 Denunciation No Surprise To Goering

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whose health has been poor, stayed in bed in his jail cell.

Hitler sought to picture himself as a martyr. He begged the German people the Nazi creed of "loyalty" to the state and hatred of the Jews.

His final admonition was: "Above all, I enjoin the government of the nation and the people to uphold the racial laws to the limit and resist mercilessly the poisoner of all nations, international Jewry."

The testament, dated April 29, 1945, also disclosed that Hitler expelled Reichsmarschal Hermann Goering and Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler from the Nazi ranks for attempting to seize control of the state, and "negotiating with the enemy without my knowledge."

The text of the political testament—along with texts of Hitler's personal will and an appendix to the testament by Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels and a document recording Hitler's marriage to Eva Braun—was released yesterday by Allied authorities.

Hitler's testimony indicated he preferred suicide in a Reich chancellery bunker to trial before an Allied court.

"I shall not fall into the hands of an enemy who requires a Jew to divert their hysterical masses," he said.

In his personal will, also dated April 29, Hitler told of plans for suicide after marrying Miss Braun, his 35-year-old mistress.

"She will go to her death with me at her own wish as my wife," the will said. "This will compensate us for what we have both lost through work in the service of my people."

"My wife and I choose to die in order to escape the shame of overthrow or capitulation," the will added. "It is our wish for our bodies to be cremated immediately."

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Azores was considered at that time had been disclosed before, but not the president's order. The Azores are owned by Portugal.

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Market Quotations

New York, Dec. 31—(P)—Nylon stocks:

Average: 192.65; off 19 Volume: 320,000

Air Reduction 54%
Al Chem and Dye 187 1/2
Al Ind 39 1/2
Am and For Pow 7 1/2
Am and St S 18 1/2
Am Smelt and R 63 1/2
Am Tel and Tel 190 1/2
Am Tob E 90 1/2
Anacosta Cop 44 1/2
Atch T and S F 107 1/2
Bait and Ohio 25 1/2
Bald Loco 54
Barnsdall 22 1/2
Bendix Aviat 53 1/2
Beth Steel 95 1/2
Boeing Airplane 31 1/2
Briggs Mfg 49 1/2
Budd Mfg 23 1/2
Case (J I) Co 45 1/2
Ches and Ohio 107 1/2
Chrysler Corp 132 1/2
Colum Gas and El 10 1/2
Coml Solvents 25
Com and South P 122
Cons Edison 33 1/2
Cons Can 44 1/2
Curtiss-Wright 7 1/2
Del Lack and West 14
Douglas Aircraft 98 1/2
El Auto-Lite 47 1/2
Gen Foods 75
Gen Motors 31
Gen Refract 33 1/2
Greyhound Corp 26 1/2
Harb-Walker 43
Illinois Central 37
Int Nick Can 29 1/2
Int Tel and Tel 48 1/2
Kennecott Cop 33 1/2
Kresge (SS) 40 1/2
Lehigh Port C 4 1/2
Lehigh Vay. Coal 12 1/2
Loh. Val. R. R. 12 1/2
Libby, McN. and L 35 1/2
Loew's, Inc. 33 1/2
Mid. Cont. 73 1/2
Montgom. Ward 32 1/2
Nat. Biscuit 34 1/2
Nat. Dairy Prod. 73
Nat. Distillers 10 1/2
Nat. Pow. and Lt. 35 1/2
N. Y. Central R. R. 29 1/2
North Amer. Co. 28 1/2
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Northern Pacific 33 1/2
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Packard Motor 54 1/2
Param Pictures 42 1/2
Penn. R. R. 33 1/2
Pub. Svc. N. J. 61 1/2
Pullman 22 1/2
Pure Oil 17 1/2
Radio Corp. 27 1/2
Reading Co. 30 1/2
Repub. Steel 37 1/2
Reynolds Tob. "B" 33 1/2
Sears Roebuck 19 1/2
Singmaster 17 1/2
Snoopy-Vacuum 35 1/2
Sperry Corp 48 1/2
Standard Brands 33
Std G and E S4 Pfd 47 1/2
Stand Oil Cal 40 1/2
Stand Oil Ind 68 1/2
Stand Oil NJ 32 1/2
Studebaker Corp 22 1/2
United Aircraft 24
Tidewater 76 1/2
US Smelt R and M 80 1/2
US Steel 32 1/2
Warner Bros Pict 51 1/2
West Un Tel A 6
Aero Supply "B" 6
Ark Nat Gas "A" 6
Woodworth (FW) (1.60) 31 1/2
Woolworth Sh and T 65 1/2
Coca Cola 19 1/2
Electric Bond and Share 14 1/2
National Fuel 8 1/2
Pennrod Corp 58
South Penn Oil 5

1946—When Things Will Be Coming Our Way



The new year is the one we've been waiting for—the year when reconversion will be completed and production brings realization of the war-years' dream of a new washing machine, a new refrigerator, car, bicycle, camera and whatnot—including NYLONS!

Letters Show Stark Urged U. S. Entry Into War When Germany Attacked Russia

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state department and elsewhere, etc., etc. I have been maintaining that only a war against Germany could speed things up the way they should be speeded up; that strive as we would it just isn't the nature of things to get the results in peace as we would, were we at war.

"We shall give aid to Russia. I hope she and Germany may break upon each other. Europe dominated by the Communists is no more an attractive feature, in fact, less so, than a Europe dominated by the Nazis. Here's hoping we could wherever strategy dictates, enter the war under circumstances in which Germany were the aggressor and in which case Japan might then be able to remain neutral."

"However, on the whole, it is my opinion that the United States should enter the war against Germany as soon as possible, even if hostilities with Japan must be accepted."

Stark also gave the committee a separate file of communications between him and Kimmel during 1941.

They disclosed that on February 18 Kimmel wrote that "I feel that a surprise attack (submarine, air, or combined) on Pearl Harbor is a possibility."

In other letters, Kimmel repeatedly asked more ships, more guns, more radar and more planes.

Stark's letters were filled with assurances that he was doing all he could to meet Kimmel's needs and reminders that demands from the Atlantic fleet also were heavy.

Kimmel also frequently expressed concern over the flow of information to him. He told Stark that he was the commander-in-chief, Pacific fleet, is far removed

Discontent on Labor Front Hits Borough

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Discontent on the labor front hit the borough of Warren today noon when employees of the street department left their jobs. According to Carter Rowland, chairman of the street committee, the issue that caused the walkout is that of pay for overtime. Mr. Rowland stated that a meeting had been called with Borough Solicitor S. D. Blackman at four o'clock this afternoon. It was predicted around the municipal building that the difficulty would be adjusted so that the men would be back on the job on Wednesday. In the meantime, a fine snow has been falling all day making the streets as slippery as they have been all season. With no cinders in sight it behooves motorists to drive with utmost care and caution.

From the seat of government.

"He is, as a rule, not informed as to policy, or change of policy, reflected in current events and naval movements and, as a result, is unable to evaluate the possible effect upon his own situation," Kimmel's formal memorandum continued.

"This lack of information is disturbing and tends to create uncertainty, a condition which directly contravenes that singleness of purpose and confidence in one's own course of action so necessary to the conduct of military operations."

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Byrnes Plans Fourth Trip in Six Months

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power on the commission, no basic Allied policy for Japan can be adopted without American approval.

The secretary emphasized strongly that no atomic energy secrets were disclosed at Moscow and that none would be until effective safeguards are set up.

Byrnes said the subject of atomic energy was placed on the agenda at Russia's suggestion and that discussions were confined to the British-American proposal for a control commission set up under the United Nations.

"At no time did we discuss any technical or scientific matters, nor were we asked by the Soviet government about the new weapon," he said.

Byrnes said the agreement to hold a general European peace conference before next May 1 was a concession to U. S. insistence that "all states which took an active part in the war should participate in the peace."

Tokyo, Dec. 31—(P)—Sources close to General MacArthur reported today that the Big Three's new control plan for Japan already has caused confusion among the Japanese and may cause the general to lose face in a country where face is all important.

The control plan, which MacArthur bluntly stated had been made over his protest and behind his back, may result in a slackening of Japanese efforts to put in effect directives already issued—and which they had accepted only slowly and grudgingly—the sources said.

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Greetings and Best Wishes to Our Many Friends

There isn't a merchant or public service represented on this page that isn't ready to extend a friendly handclasp in saying "Happy New Year" should you meet before 1946 is with us. But just to make sure they've expressed their sentiments to you in the messages conveyed to you on this page.



When you hear midnight strike out, ringing in 1946, remember that wherever you are our good wishes go with you for a year of contentment.

Betty Lee



We thought of writing a personal greeting to everyone. We know—but we'd feel so badly if anyone was overlooked. So here's the way we choose to say "A HAPPY NEW YEAR" to every man, woman and child we can count a friend.

Mohr Printery



The scene is set; the players are ready. The great script of 1946 is ready to be played... and we know it's going to be a hit show with you giving a star performance. You already have our applause.

E. M. Hutchens and Son



Follow our signpost, and 1946 will loom brightly on your horizon with everything to your advantage. What more could we wish you than the best in all things you wish for yourself and everyone of whom you are fond.

Miller Drug Store

All ready to set up business, 1946 has hit town with as fine a line of merchandise as you ever had to select from. So take your choice of good health, a happy home, plenty of friends, and enough of everything for contentment. If we have our way, you'll get them all.

Simonsen Wall Paper & Paint Co.



We certainly hope that your outlook is always bright, and that day and night good fortune will follow you. Can't say we're sorry to see the old year go—and we sure are glad to welcome the new.

Western Auto Associate Store



All the prayers of the past for peace are now answered, and we can go forward with 1946 to a future of good things for all God's children.

Commonwealth Cleaners



We're running and leaping—in a frisky mood—to bring you the greetings of the New Year season. We hope you have a marvelous time celebrating the arrival of 1946.

Gamble Building Corp.



These words are overflowing with our sincere wishes for your future health, happiness and prosperity. New Year's is the time of hope for all and this New Year's particularly fills us with happy anticipation.

Fairchild & Rapp



Make merry on New Year's Eve, and have the time of your life. It's a gala occasion for every one of us, and we've the right to celebrate to the full. Our good wishes go with you for the best of years in 1946.

Warren Sheet Metal Shop



Nineteen forty-five did his job as best he could, so we'll have to bid him farewell. But in saying "howdy" to 1946 we have every reason to be gay.

Keystone Printing Co.



To all our gallant heroes, of whom we are so proud, we extend our sincerest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

B & E Chevrolet Garage

Oh what a wonderful feeling—to be able to say "Happy New Year" once again, with many a reason for merriment in our sincere greetings. We want to thank you for your co-operation as our customer during difficult days, and to pledge ourselves to continued good service.

A. C. Peterson & Son



Dance out the old, dance in the new! 1946 is a-comin' in and it better be good to you! Happy New Year, all year, after you've had all the fun you can ushering it in.

Neal & Co.



Every minute will be a good one for you beginning with 1946. We can't think of a better way to wish you a happy New Year. And if you come into our store within the next few days, we'll be glad to wish you the best—in person.

Danielson-Carter



A gay companion, a sparkling glass, a merry tune: that's the way to "ring in the New Year." We know you'll be doing it, and we'd be with you in spirit.

The Busy Bee



Our voices may not be operating, but we do want to sing our "Happy New Year" at the top of our lungs, with all the best wishes for everyone we count a friend.

Recreation Center



Luck be with you in all your endeavors through the year ahead. We wish you and your family the best of everything.

S. H. Rasmussen
Plumbing • Heating



We've said it many times before, and we're saying it again: because it can't be put in better words and the sentiment can't be improved upon. You know what we mean, and we know how sincerely we wish it to you, so here goes: HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Geracimos Co.



Zerbe's Atlantic Service



Warren Plumbing & Heating Co.

There's going to be a big change in your life for 1946—it's going to be for the better. There are great days ahead for all of us if we work together and build together for a future of happy days for all. You can count on us to share in the job—and the fun.



Everything about the New Year season is traditionally gay. You should be gay. And this first peacetime New Year's you have every cause to go out and be joyous. We hope a year of happiness will follow an eve of revelry.

Olson & Bjers



We hope you have all the things that add up to a "Happy New Year," from the stroke of 12 through every day of 1946. In all you do, you have our good wishes.

Carbon's Gulf Service



We'd like to find the largest bell in the world and strike out our New Year's greetings on it. Because we know how much more gladness there will be for everyone in 1946. Our heartfelt greetings to you and all your family for the new year and every year after it.

The Nut Shop



If you were to step across our threshold right now, we'd reach out a hand and say "Happy New Year." But you're there and we're here, so let our greetings live in print!

United Cigar Store



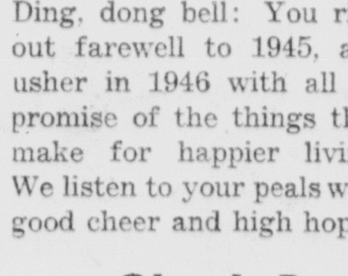
This is a New Year's to begin with those you love best—a time for festivity and gay songs; for good things to eat and drink, for lively music and cheerful surroundings. Start the New Year right and enjoy all 1946!

Gene's Center Service



It is our earnest hope that when all the volumes have been written about this decade, history will prove 1946 to have been a turning point toward man's greater happiness and enriched living in every way. GREETINGS!

A & B Appliance Co.



Ding, dong bell: You ring out farewell to 1945, and usher in 1946 with all its promise of the things that make for happier living. We listen to your peals with good cheer and high hopes.

Check Bros. Blue Sunoco



Reliable Furniture Co.

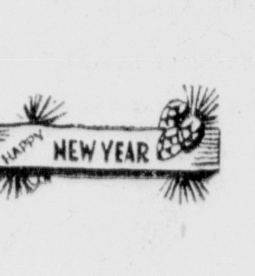


We hope bright lights illumine your way through 1946, and that every step you take is in the direction of happiness and contentment. Happy New Year, everybody!



We hope the New Year proves to be a surprise package for you—with only the best of everything in store for you, your family, your friends and all those you hold near and dear. None but the best for the best of customers—is our wish.

S. Schraybman
Beer Distributor



Another day, another year, another New Year's to celebrate and mark as a milestone toward progress and happiness for all. Our fondest wish is for your enjoyment of all good things.

Baker's Cleaners



We'd like to ring the doorbell of every one of our friends, but we'd have to "close up" a couple of days to do it. So we're taking this way of having our New Year wishes reach each and every one!

Texas Lunch



Times Square Service Station

If you think New Year's resolutions are made to be broken—make silly ones worth breaking; but the important ones worth making, are also worth keeping. Our own resolution is—to serve you ever better; and we will!

With a hip, hip, hooray and folderol—we greet the New Year. Plan to have the best of good times, because we never had more reason to celebrate than we have looking forward to 1946 and all the years to follow.

Warren Dry Cleaning Co.



Arcade Bowling Alley

Nineteen-forty-six may still be in swaddling clothes, but it's going to grow up fast and take care of the whole wide world. So give the new year the kind of welcome that it deserves and have a head start on a grand and glorious year.

May your house be filled with merriment, good health and good spirit every moment of the New Year. That's the wish we're sending through this message, to every one of our customers—past, present and future.

Riffel's Market St. Texaco Station

